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REGULAR MEETING OF
THE CITY COUNCIL

Important Matters Engage the
Attention of the Civic Leaders
This Week.

PROPOSAL FROM THE HOSPITAL

Directors Ask the Council to
Take Over This Institution and
Run It as a Municipal Affair
—Opening of Wetham Street
Laid Over Until Next Year—
Schubert Street Property Owners
Protest Against Butchery
of Shade Trees.

A scheme for taking over the Vernon Jubilee Hospital as a municipal organization, and a petition to give the question of the opening of Wetham Street from Campbell to Schubert Street the hoist until next year were presented at a regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber on Monday evening, when Ald. Clement took the chair in the absence of Mr. W. H. Young, Provincial Secretary.

After the minutes of the last meeting had been adopted as read, the following communications were dealt with as indicated below:

From Frank Spencer, asking for the removal of the old carpenter's shop behind the Berry-Spencer block, which he said, was a menace from fire to the block. The matter was referred to the whole Council.

Ald. Smith stated that the Council had absolutely no power to act in the matter. It rested entirely between the ratepayers and the City Council.

The matter was referred to the Police Commissioners asking for city clerk to see that the City Council had stated that a bill of \$1400 had recently been presented to the city for the maintenance of prisoners and the collection of fines.

The letter from the secretary of the Board of Health, stating that the Board were willing to sanction the sewerage system of the city to a date in 1914, on the understanding that certain specified improvements be commenced at the earliest possible date, was referred to the Board of Health.

That from R. H. Rogers, for his client, Dr. O. Morris, protesting emphatically against the damage done by city workmen to trees on his property, as being without his consent or knowledge, as being careless and in excess of what was necessary.

On being asked to speak on the matter, Ald. Smith said there had been some difficulty with the City Council in the touching of the trees. There had been a good deal of fireworks due to the insulation being worn off the wires in this way. He had consulted Mr. Hammond and had gone over the work with him, and had advised the City Council to have the matter looked into by the Electric Light Company, through understanding arrived at. His suggestion was then adopted.

The letter from R. H. Rogers, asking when the city would be able to supply power for the operation of a freight elevator in the Hudson's Bay property on Bernard Avenue, was referred to the proper committee. The following petition was presented:

34th July, 1913.
To the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Vernon.

Gentlemen:
The undersigned committee have decided that, owing to the stringency in the money market at the present time, it would be inadvisable that the by-law to the opening of Wetham Street be laid over until at least the first of October next.

(Signed),
JOHN STANFIELD, Vice-President,
J. W. FOUNS, Secretary,
J. R. GILBERT, Treasurer.

Messrs. Gilbrath and Stanfield were in attendance and the former, as spokesman of the committee appointed by the ratepayers' Association, explained the feeling of the body as preferring to have the matter put to the people and defeated rather than laid over to next year, when the same difficulty in getting the promise of the city to undertake the work would have to be overcome.

Ald. Smith recommended that, in view of the present financial situation, the whole matter be left over till next year. This city was curtailing its operations in many departments for reasons of economy.

After further discussion, during which Mr. Gilbrath explained that the

committee wished to give the matter a temporary hoist, the petition was granted by motion.

The following bills received the favorable report of the Finance Committee:

Okanagan Telephone Co. \$12.00
City pay sheet account. 2492.54
Chief Moffatt of the Fire Brigade was granted \$75 that he might attend the convention of fire chiefs to be held in Tacoma, Wash.

Ald. Simmons brought in a motion as an addition to that passed by the Council on the previous Monday night, that it be understood that the sewer construction granted at that time was subject to the payment of 10% of the cost of construction by the property owners.

After considerable discussion, the motion was withdrawn and the matter was referred to the Health Committee. Messrs. P. Dickson, W. C. Young, A. E. Ashcroft, and W. A. Rhodes, secretary of the hospital, formed a committee of the directors to present the following letter to the Council. The letter was accompanied by a financial statement as follows:

Vernon Jubilee Hospital,
Vernon, B. C., 11th July, 1913.
To the Mayor and Council,
City of Vernon, B. C.

Gentlemen:
We, a committee appointed by the directors of the Vernon Jubilee Hospital, desire to forward your honorable body a copy of the resolution passed at a meeting of the board held on the 8th inst., which is as follows:

"That the directors are of the opinion that the only way the hospital can be successfully conducted is as a municipal institution and they therefore ask that the City Council submit by-law to the ratepayers to carry this into effect."

A statement showing the financial position of the hospital as at June 30th of the current year is enclosed. Also a letter from the Hon. H. E. Young, Provincial Secretary, in reply to the directors' inquiry concerning the legality of the proposed transfer and their consent in that event to the continuation of the Government's assistance.

The directors feel that having spent all these years in connection with the conduct and support of the hospital, and having succeeded in securing a hospital equal to anything in the province, and during the last year built the new hospital, they are handing over to the city an institution complete in every detail. As shown by the June statement, the present standing is practically free of all liabilities and thereby the sum of \$72,000 is added to the city's assets.

The directors would call the Council's attention to the fact that up to the present year they have made an annual canvas securing voluntary subscriptions in aid of the hospital, and that the municipality shall, in all cases, where a fine might have been imposed, pay for the maintenance of such prisoners in such jail at the rate of fifty cents per day for each prisoner.

The resolution was on a say that this amendment tended to induce necessary consideration into the administration of justice, and so tended to lower the standard of justice.

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HOME RULE BILL

Final Passage of This Much De-
bated Measure Through the
House of Commons.

London, July 14.—The formal repassage of the Home Rule and Welsh Disestablishment Bills through the Commons last week has aroused only tepid enthusiasm. The Welsh Disestablishment bill is given precedence solely because of Welsh Nonconformist persistence.

In England the disestablishment movement is almost moribund. In Scotland owing to the union movement in the Presbyterian churches it is absolutely dead.

The triumph about Home Rule is checked by the growing uneasiness in Liberal circles concerning Ulster. Lord Campbell's speech in the Commons on the third reading of the bill, when he emphasized the determination of Ulster to resist Home Rule at any cost, and reminded the Government that there are occasions when treason becomes patriotism, and rebellion duty, has been given profound attention. His closing words, "I have time to retrace your steps. I pray that God may give you both courage and wisdom to do so," thrilled both sides.

Outside Government circles the Liberal declaration it is unthinkable that a campaign of active coercion can be started against Ulster. The situation is made more difficult by the obstinacy of the Ulster leaders, who are deaf to suggestions of compromise. Repeated suggestions have been made to them to help formulate a middle plan, which will protect them from the possible dangers under Home Rule, but in vain. Lord Lansdowne blind to the hardening of opinion against the House of Lords as now constituted, has evidently resolved to make a fight.

The Nation this morning supports the plan of non-party conference to shape constitutional changes which must follow Home Rule. Irish local autonomy will be followed by a demand of Scotland and Wales for local legislatures. We may within a few years see a group of local assemblies for Scotland, Wales and England under a predominant Westminster Parliament. This as the Nation recognizes, will involve the disappearance of the Historic House of Commons party system, and of many men who direct it.

COL. EGAN DEAD.

Editor of Rossland Miner Passes
Away After an Operation.

Rossland, B. C., July 14.—Col. E. Egan died at the Sisters Hospital this morning of heart failure. He underwent an operation four weeks ago and had made a good recovery when he was suddenly seized with heart failure and passed away this morning. He leaves three sons, one daughter and a wife to mourn his death. He was 63 years old.

of the Act the Government also would appoint two members of the Board. I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
(Signed) H. E. YOUNG,
Provincial Secretary.

Ald. Clement, after the reading of the above letters, said that what was proposed in them was of great moment, and in his opinion, should be considered in committee, possibly of the whole Council.

Ald. Swift said that he presumed that, in case the action proposed were adopted by the Council, the present board of directors, whose work for the hospital he complimented very highly, would still continue to act in their present capacities. The proposition, said he, looked pretty good on paper; but was the value of the \$3000 stated as bills receivable? The directors assured him that every year the hospital struck up a certain proportion of the bills receivable, as bad debts, and that they had recently written off in this way, \$3000 so that the present statement might be considered good.

Ald. Smith stated that he had given the matter considerable thought and had come to the conclusion that this was the only way out of the difficulty of collecting the accounts due the hospital. In the past the hospital had received donations from the other municipal bodies of the Valley. They did not receive one such now. The Vernon hospital was becoming increasingly a municipal and local affair.

After paying a tribute to the devotion of the directors to the work of the hospital, Ald. Smith said that, while in three past years they had tried all sorts of ways to finance the institution, the time had come when he would like to have the committee of the whole Council meet the directors, and go into the matter thoroughly and lay a by-law before the people, with the least possible delay. Something had to be done, and done quickly.

Other Aldermen expressed similar views and arrangements were accordingly made for a meeting of the hospital and of the Council of the whole Council at 10 o'clock on the next morning.

The City clerk asked for instructions as to what he should charge the (Okanagan) Branch show for permission to perform in the city. After discussion, the City clerk was authorized to make a charge of \$100 according to the by-law.

Ald. Clement stated that he had received a letter from His Worship, who was at the coast, and who wrote that he was very hopeful of improvement in the city's financial situation within the next week or so.

Ald. Clement further stated that he hoped to be able to strike the assessment rate before next Council meeting; but that he wished to have the expert advice of the mayor before he did so.

The meeting adjourned at 9:30.

VERNON FRUIT UNION

ARRANGE FOR LOAN

Government will Advance Forty
Thousand Dollars to this
Association.

A LETTER OF ENCOURAGEMENT

Chairman of Royal Commission
on Agriculture Assures Mr. W.
Scott Allan of the Hearty Sym-
pathy of Its Members in Co-
operative Work Among Farm-
ers and Fruit Growers—Now
is a Good Time to Buy Stock.

W. Scott Allan, who having left for the coast on the previous Tuesday returned to Vernon on Sunday last, took with him a letter from the Royal Commission for a loan from the Provincial Government to a local co-operative organization of fruit growers in British Columbia.

The loan asked for in this case was \$40,000. It is expected that the money will be in the hands of the Vernon Fruit Union within a very few days. In fact on the return of the Hon. Price Ellison to the coast.

During his stay at the coast, Mr. Scott Allan had a very interesting conversation with the chairman of the Agricultural commission, during which Mr. Hayward expressed the sentiments of the latter which through the courtesy of Mr. Scott Allan, we are able to print below.

July 9th, 1913.
Dear Mr. Scott Allan,
I was glad to have been able to have a chat with you today; and trust you quite realize that the Royal Commission now enquiring into the agricultural problems of British Columbia is most interested and indeed believes that co-operation amongst the farmers and fruit growers is the only means of improving their marketing conditions.

So far, of course, the commission has not and will not make a report for some time, but in writing you the above I am expressing my opinion, and very strong sentiments, but conveying to you what I have to be the belief of the commission.

With kind regards and hoping you will have great success in the new co-operative effort, backed up as it is by Government aid, in the Okanagan, and what I trust will spread another year throughout the Province.
Believe me,
Sincerely yours,
H. HAYWARD.

The Vernon Fruit Union is now in a position to handle all kinds of fruits and vegetables and all growers of fruit who are not yet shareholders should take the earliest possible opportunity of making application for as many shares in the Union as they are able to handle, that they may take advantage of the facilities offered by the Union for the handling of their product through the Okanagan United Growers' Association.

for the local co-operative associations from Salmon Arm to Penticton.

THE VERNON RATE-
PAYERS' ASSOCIATION

Various Committees Appointed
at the Special Meeting Held
Last Week.

The Vernon Ratepayers' Association held a special meeting at the Board of Trade Room on Wednesday evening, July 10th, with Mr. H. W. Knight in the chair. The meeting, the chairman explained, had been called to discuss a report of the executive as regards the appointment of committees to deal with various sections of the work of the association. The executive committee had gone into the matter at length and their suggestions would be presented to the meeting. The members whose names had been placed by the executive, backed up by their nominations were confirmed, he empowered to form a committee with one or two others to consider the different divisions of the work of the association. The following committees were nominated:

Electric Light—J. B. Stanfield, J. R. Brown.
Educational—C. S. Gilbrath, J. R. Brown.
Labour and Public Works—J. F. Glover.
Assessment and Finance—J. W. Rogers.
Increase in number of Aldermen—R. H. Rogers.
Water and Health—W. C. Pound, J. R. Brown.
Organization—Colin Reid.

The consideration of these nominations were taken seriatim and in each case the meeting confirmed the appointment.

Mr. Johnston reported that he had seen Mr. Shafford in reference to the land disengagement, and it was Mr. Shafford's desire, at the matter he left as it was, as far as the disengagement of the land was concerned. The opinion was expressed that this was the best course to pursue, and the matter was dropped.

The meeting then adjourned.

VETERAN EDITOR DEAD.

Hon. John Valentine Ellis of St.
John, N. B., Passes Away.

St. John, N. B., July 11.—Hon. John Valentine Ellis, member of the Senate, one of the proprietors of the St. John Globe, and who had been editor of that paper for fifty-two years, died at 12:30 o'clock yesterday.

He had been in failing health since his return from Ottawa, and has gradually been growing worse. All the members of the family except his son John, Washington, were with him at the end.

The deceased was the only Liberal Senator who voted in favor of the Borden Navy bill when it was before the Senate recently. One son, Mr. J. N. Ellis, a lawyer, lives in Vancouver.

IMPORTANT MEETINGS

Entomological Society Will Hold
Sessions in Vernon on Fri-
day and Saturday.

A special semi-annual meeting of the B. C. Entomological Society will be held in the Court House, Vernon, commencing on Friday, July 18, at 1:30 p.m. This will be the most important meeting of the kind ever held in the province, and should be attended by the large number of farmers and fruit growers. All interested in any phase of insect life are invited to be present, and bring with them specimens of any insects that they would like to have determined.

The following comprehensive programme has been arranged:
Friday, July 18.
1:30 p.m.—Recent Experiments in Insecticides and Combination Sprays. Asst. Fruit Pest, Inspector, Entomology, Oregon Agricultural College, Discussion—E. W. White, Earl Barnhill.

2 p.m.—Entomology from the Standpoint of a Botanist. John Daulton, Asst. Provincial Botanist. Discussion—W. H. Brittain, Tom Wilson.

2:40 p.m.—Reducing the Cost of Pest Control. R. M. Winslow, Provincial Horticulturist. Discussion—Ben Hoy, G. G. F.

3 p.m.—Methods of Obtaining Insect Records in the Field. R. C. Traherne, Field Officer, Dom. Div. of Entomology. Discussion—G. O. Day, H. F. Winslow.

3:40 p.m.—Insects. D. R. Andrews, District Forester, Vernon, B. C. Discussion—E. M. Anderson, H. R. McMillan.

4 p.m.—Entomology as an Educational Subject. Max H. Ruhm, Asst. Fruit Pest, Inspector, Grand Forks. Discussion—E. Wilson, C. Fulton.

4:30 p.m.—The Work of the Government Entomologist. Thos. Cunningham, Prov. Inspector. Discussion—W. H. Lyne, Tom Wilson.

5 p.m.—Observations of the Season by Members and Discussion of Specimens.

7:45 p.m.—Presidential Address. 8 p.m.—Bark Beetles in Canadian Forests. J. M. Swaine, Asst. Entomologist for Forest Insects, Dom. Div. of Entomology. Discussion—A. H. Bush, W. H. Brittain.

8:45 p.m.—The Proposed Quarantine Regulations Against General Orchard Pests. Thos. Cunningham, Provincial Inspector of Fruit Pests. Discussion—R. C. Traherne, Lionel Taylor.

9:30 p.m.—Fruit Diseases. W. H. Lyne, Asst. Provincial Inspector of Fruit Pests. Discussion—R. M. Angus, Chas. McCubbing.

Saturday, July 19.
9:30 a.m.—Some Problems in Aphid Control. L. L. Brown, Horticulturist, Colquhoun Estate Company. Discussion—Percy Pearce, Tom Hill.

10 a.m.—Cutworms and Their Control. M. S. Middleton, District Horticulturist, Nelson, B. C. Discussion—H. Evans, Harry Thornhill.

10:30 a.m.—Economic Ornithology. Lionel Taylor, Kelowna, B. C. Discussion—Tom Wilson, J. M. Swaine.

11 a.m.—Business Meeting.

FINANCIAL STRINGENCY.

British Chancellor of the Ex-
chequer Sees No Cause
for Alarm.

London, July 14.—Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, Chancellor of the Exchequer, attending the customary Mansion House dinner to the City Bankers last week analyzed some of their causes leading up to the recent money stringency. He also referred to the enormous and lamentable growth of armaments, but said that no individual country could afford to disarm.

"We cannot give in; we cannot cease weakening in the slightest degree the immunity we have against invasion."

"It is too terrible a fact," the Chancellor added. "The same thing applies to the continent, because there is no country that has not known what invasion means in the last 100 years, and, therefore, whatever is done, must be done by an understanding among the powers of the world."

No Cause for Alarm.
"There is no cause for alarm, however, I have taken care during the past few weeks in consulting those in touch with the world's business, commerce and industry. They have all told me the same things; that there is no cause for apprehension, and that all this money stringency which has been felt in the world's markets for weeks and months has, in itself, I won't say forced, but has constrained those engaged in the business of finance, to take precautions so as to be able to steady themselves against the shocks which they come. They are huddling their resources, pulling themselves together to strengthen themselves against any possible eventuality, and I hear the same story from Germany, France, Germany and this country."

COLDSTREAM COUNCIL MEETING.

The regular meeting of the Council was held on Wednesday, the 10th July, 1913, at 8 p.m. The Reeve and Council members present were: Messrs. Canfield, Kent, Homer-Dixon and Webster.

Minutes of the meeting held on the 11th and 12th June read and confirmed. The communications from and dealt with as follows:

Canadian Financiers, Ltd., and Acumulus, Jarvis & Co., with regard to sale of Municipal debentures. The same was read and fully discussed by Council.

T. P. Hill, manager Scottish-Canadian Land Co., and C. R. Hill with regard to selling a portion of their land for the Revolving Fund of the Aberdeen. Letters filed.

Hamilton Lark, regarding allotment of Government grant for roads. The letter was referred to the Chairman of the Road Committee and the clerk to reply to, expressing Council's opinion very fully regarding the matter.

of the grant being raised for this diversion.

Attorney-General, requesting return of fines collected previous to the appointment of a police magistrate in this municipality. The clerk was instructed to send cheque to cover this outstanding amount of \$156.00.

A written report was submitted by the Finance Committee recommending payments under the following headings:
Office expense \$ 67.81
School board 114.15
Roads and bridges 522.41
Office salaries 170.00
Pounds 3.00
Waterworks construction and maintenance 791.88

Total \$1669.25
A report from the chairman of the Water Committee was read enclosing reports from the clerk, giving details and actual cost of this year's construction which were approved.

A report was also read from the clerk dealing with the question of waterworks maintenance with cost of same for the half year, and reporting upon the causes leading to the shortage of supply in the Lavington district, and the temporary cessation of supply at the lower end of the system.

The matter of the shortage of supply in the Lavington reservoir was fully discussed by Council, and it was decided to watch this portion of the system for a further period before making any alterations, if such should be found necessary.

The Finance Committee's report on the estimates for 1913, amounting to \$28,388.43, was read, and the estimates as presented were approved.

The Council discussed the matter of holding a council of enquiry into taxation in this district, as requested by the ratepayers at their annual meeting, and the clerk was instructed to advise all ratepayers by circular letter and an advertisement in the press that the commission would sit on Wednesday, the 30th of July, to hear any evidence that may be forthcoming on the subject.

The Reeve appointed the following gentlemen as the court of enquiry: Mr. E. H. Canfield, Mr. R. C. Buchanan and Mr. D. Russell.

The meeting then adjourned.

ALL BRITISH WIRELESS.

Newcastle, N.B., Will Be Eastern
Canadian Terminus of Link in
World-Encircling Service.

Newcastle, N. B., July 14.—Newcastle is to be the Atlantic terminus of the Universal Radio Syndicate's proposed world-encircling service from Great Britain to this town as a link in the All-British world-encircling service.

Land wires have been obtained from Vancouver for the purpose of connecting existing lines between here and Montreal. The existing Pacific cable will be used, and so on westward back to Great Britain.

A Montreal concern has contracted to build and install the plant. The steel tower will be 500 feet high. It is being constructed in England and will be shipped out in sections. Round this central tower will be grouped other towers, each 100 feet high, connected by copper wire with the central tower. A dynamo to operate the plant will need a 250-horse power engine to drive it.

The Canadian Government's arrangement with the syndicate is for five years, at the end of which the Government has power to take over and operate the service as a Government work. The British wireless station will be on the west coast of Ireland.

A WENATCHEE TRAGEDY.

Mother Sees Her Children Perish
in Her Burning House.

Wenatchee, July 12.—Two children, a boy of five years old, and a girl three years, were burned to death yesterday afternoon while their mother, Mrs. Charles N. Conegyn, stood helplessly outside the blazing home. She had rushed into the house to sleep, and put the baby on the second floor, after doing some baking, and there was a hot fire in the kitchen range. She went out into the orchard, and was not gone more than fifteen minutes when she saw the whole house in flames.

Rushing to the burning building she broke the glass in the front door and cut herself badly, but was trying to go straight into the flames when a neighbor arrived just in time to draw the child out of the house.

"Put my babies in there," she wailed.

The fire was now blazing so intensely that no person could possibly attempt to save the little victims. She was in the house with the children. Her bark was heard for a moment, when it died suddenly. The charred bodies of the two children and the dog were found among the ruins. The cause of the fire is unknown.

BIG INVESTMENT FIGURES

Capital Applications in London
in Three Months Over
\$350,000,000.

London, July 12.—In an article discussing British investments, The Economist says this week that despite the 4 1/2 per cent. bank rate and the depression of the Stock Exchange applications for new capital in the London market have reached the high figure of over £70,000,000 (\$350,000,000) in the last three months.

This total was exceeded in no corresponding quarter of any year in the last decade, except in the rubber boom of 1910.

BIG CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Winnipeg, July 12.—The Manitoba Government has awarded the contract for the new parliament buildings, \$2,859,750, to Thomas Kelly & Sons. The contract for the new law courts building, to cost \$119,000, was awarded to Crane & Co., and an addition to the Agricultural College for \$12,518, was awarded to Carter, Hall, Aldinger & Co.

BOARD OF TRADE

MEETING LAST WEEK

Only a Bare Quorum Present
at Monday Night's
Session.

STATION KIOSK DISCUSSED

Local Architects Invited to Pre-
pare Plans for the Building—
Various Communications Under
Consideration—Board Un-
able to Comply With Request
for Fruit Exhibit to be For-
warded to the Brandon Fair.

It has always been a matter of difficulty in Vernon to maintain the interest in the Board of Trade meetings during the summer months, and this was exemplified on Friday evening by the slim attendance at the regular monthly meeting, there being only a bare quorum of seven members present.

In the absence of the president and vice-president, J. I. Corbett was voted to the chair. R. Obee, the secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting, which were adopted, and the following communications were submitted:

From the Board of Trade of Duncan forwarded the following communication with the request that it be endorsed by the Vernon Board: "That the Government of British Columbia be petitioned to enact such legislation as will prevent any persons other than those of the white race from acquiring any title or other interest to or in lands in the province of British Columbia; and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Boards of Trade, Municipal Councils, and members of the Legislature of this Province. In a subsequent letter from Duncan it was stated that the words: 'Any persons other than the white race' is not intended to apply to the native Indian people, but is aimed at Orientals. The communication was laid over until the next meeting of the Board."

A telegram was received from G. C. Johnston, Assistant Exhibitions Commissioner, from Winnipeg, asking the Board to send an exhibit to the fair, later than Saturday, for the Brandon Fair. The secretary stated that he had consulted Messrs. Robertson and Garraway, and found that at present there is no fruit that could not be shipped except one or two varieties of sour cherries. He was instructed to wire Mr. Johnston to this effect, and ask for the date of the next show.

A letter from A. E. Stephens of the C. P. R. was read, stating that the matter of securing ground at the station for the erection of a kiosk had been referred to Supt. McKay, who will arrange for a suitable site at a minimal rental.

The Progress Club at Vancouver wrote again urging the Board to take space for exhibition purposes in their building at a cost of \$4 per square foot. Of this sum the Provincial Government's subsidy provides \$2 per foot, so that the cost to the Board would be \$2 per foot. The Progress Club offered to give space, free of charge, to a panoramic view of Vernon, and also to distribute any literature sent to them. As the finances of the Board are at a low ebb at present, the meeting, while favoring the idea of taking space, took no definite action, but referred the matter to the Board's joint committee.

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CHAS. C. SMITH, Manager

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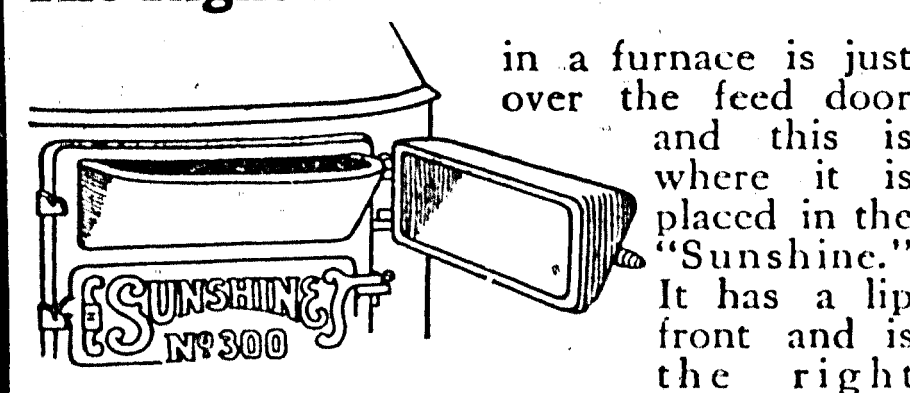
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PROVINCIAL AND GENERAL

Premier Borden will open the Canadian National Exhibition at Toronto on August 25th.

The Earl of Craven has been appointed King's Lieutenant for the County of Warwick in succession to the Marquis of Northampton.

W. H. Thorne, a prominent business man of St. John, N. B., is the strongest candidate for the vacancy created by the death of Senator Ellis.

The will of Alfred Austin, the late poet laureate, was probated last week. The estate, which amounts to \$10,490, is all bequeathed to the widow.

The coroner's jury at Banff, summoned to inquire into the death of Allan Mackay, whose body was found in the Bow River nine miles below Banff on July 14th, returned a verdict that he had met death by foul play.

A report to the commerce department states that the demand in New Zealand for Canadian furniture, motor cars and carriage materials is on the increase, but there is a complaint about delay in filling the orders.

In the House of Commons last week the motion of Andrew Bonar Law, the opposition leader, rejecting the Home Rule Bill, was defeated by a vote of 252 to 243. The bill then passed its third reading without division.

An order-in-council has been passed providing that for Manitoba, who has been importing packages of fruit shall remove from such packages all grade markings found to be inconsistent with the brands required under the Canadian Inspection and Sale Act.

Hon. Colin H. Campbell, Minister of Public Works for Manitoba, who has been at Clifton Springs, New York, following his stroke of paralysis which was received on the island of Jamaica last winter, will sail from New York for Germany on July 16th to consult German specialists.

Johnston, the night yardmaster of the C. P. R. at Winnipeg, found guilty of theft in robbing cars in Winnipeg yards of liquor, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. Johnston's companion, McDonald, was shot dead by the special police at the time of the capture.

Four thousand baskets of cherries, shipped to New York from Wenatchee, Wash., were seized by the commissioner of weights and measures of a quart by more than nine cubic centimeters each. The discovery was made when one of the baskets had been eaten into the false bottom by a mouse.

The contract for the new drydock at Lauzon, Quebec, has been let to Messrs. M. P. & J. T. Davis at a price of \$2,721,118. G. C. Hurrell of Victoria, gets the contract for the construction of the observatory building at Gonaves Heights, Victoria, at \$11,800.

Because the amount of Canadian gold being submitted to the refining process at the Ottawa branch of the Royal Mint is increasing year by year, the government is taking steps to double the capacity of the building and plant. Tenders will be called for the work in a few weeks. The value of gold refined last year was \$1,688,823.

Following the dismissal of eight employees of the Province of Ontario from their titles office at Calgary after an investigation by provincial and city detectives into the mysterious disappearance of eight cash books, dating from the year 1906, and the sum of \$74, which was stolen from the cash box in the office, sensational rumors are rife all over the city.

Leading restaurants, hotels and clubs in London are complaining of the dearth of chefs, cooks and waiters, brought about largely by the abnormal demand in Canada. During the slack season 420 men of this class left the country to take up positions in the dining car services of Canadian railways, and a further large number have left for other places in the Dominion.

Aubrey Boucault, actor and playwright, died of pneumonia last Friday at the New York Hospital. He had been in poor health for years. Mr. Boucault was a son of Dion Boucault, a well-known English actor and was born in London in 1868. He came to this country in 1890. He was well known on the Pacific Coast in the early days.

Despite the large subsidies granted by the German Government to the Zeppelin Company, the balance sheet from her last fiscal year shows a loss of \$375,000, a sum representing half the firm's capital. The loss is explained by the long list of disasters that have occurred to the various airships planned by the veteran, Count Zeppelin. Incidentally, the price of a Zeppelin airship has doubled in the last two years, having risen from \$125,000 to \$250,000.

New Westminster is to lose the Rev. J. S. Henderson, the pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, when the quarterly meeting of Westminster Presbytery, accepting the new position of field secretary of social service and evangelism for British Columbia, and notified the ruling body of the church in that section of the province that he wished his term of office as pastor of St. Andrew's to terminate the last week of August.

Canada is working up with Germany a good sized trade in wheat and, materially cutting into Australia's source of supply in that regard. Completed figures for 1912 received at Ottawa show that importations of wheat from Canada aggregated 2,690,299 bushels, as against \$80,174 in the previous year. Imports of wheat from Australia last year were 18,719 bushels, a decrease of 526,000 as compared with 1911.

The fishermen on the Fraser are of the opinion that the government should take some steps to have the herring seals which are so numerous just now destroyed as they are doing away with a large number of salmon. The seals eat the fish after they become caught in the nets and when fishermen take up their nets they generally find a large number of salmon heads and tails or three fish. What would otherwise be a profitable catch turns out to be worth only about 75¢ or \$1. This amount is all that some receive for a night's labor. The fishermen say that the government should levy a bounty for all seals that are caught.

Archie Bishop, formerly of Nelson, last week at Calgary won the trap-shooting championship of Alberta.

The Halifax Dredging Company having forfeited a contract for \$75,000 on account of its failure to go ahead with the contract for the Prince Edward Island Terminals, a new contract will be let by the department. The work will cost about \$1,000,000.

Official statistics published in London show that the birth rate in England and Wales in 1912 was the lowest on record, being 23.5 per 1,000 of population, or 3 per 1,000 below the average for the preceding ten years. The death rate is also the lowest ever recorded.

The death is announced of the Rev. Dr. Gardner of Market Harbor. Dr. Gardner, who was 84 years old, was formerly a missionary and chaplain of the Hudson's Bay Company, and did remarkable work among the Manitoba half-breeds. He was captured by the rebels during the rebellion, but released by the R.C.M.P.

The right of the province of Saskatchewan to legislate against the employment of white girls by Orientals in that province was upheld by the supreme court, the appeal having been taken from the judgment of the "Jaw" police magistrate, who convicted certain Chinamen of that city for employing white women contrary to the provisions of the new act.

Representatives of an English syndicate which purchased a large tract of coal lands near Calgary are in Calgary making preparations for the development of their property. They have taken over about 8,000 acres of land at a price said to be in the neighborhood of \$2,000,000 and will build a railroad, spur 1½ miles long and expect to be marketing their coal in Calgary by October.

Bishop De Penier has announced that good progress is being made in the proposed division of the present Anglican diocese of New Westminster into two parts, the northern portion which will be known as the Missionary Diocese of Cariboo. The synod for the election of the new bishop will be assembled in the autumn, and it is hoped that this new diocese will be in active work in the beginning of the new year.

The commission of three which will inquire into the affairs of the Kingston Penitentiary, will include C. A. Armstrong, head of the prison branch of the Ontario Provincial Secretary's Department, and Joseph Downey, director of the Orillia Asylum. The inquiry will be somewhat general, and the commissioners will be applied to penal institutions. The third commissioner, who will be a lawyer, will be named shortly.

The recent announcement that the establishment of a passenger airship service in England was in contemplation is now followed by a statement that a company is being formed with a capital of \$1,250,000 for the purpose of running airships on commercial lines from London to Brighton, Manchester, Birmingham and other places, as well as to Paris. The ships will be so constructed that they can be armed for war service if this should be desired.

Unless action is taken by the present session of the United States congress to ratify the treaty entered into some years ago between Canada and the United States regarding the fisheries in international waters, it is altogether likely that Canada's present session of it. Although the bill withdrawn from the tariff, it is hoped that legislation to ratify the treaty may be passed. If not, an announcement of Canada's withdrawal is likely to be made soon.

Winnipeg building permits last week passed the \$10,000,000 mark and indications are that last year's record of twenty millions will be passed, as the permits have not yet been taken over for the new \$4,000,000 Parliament building, the Quebec Bank, Pantages Theatre, new Hudson's Bay store, nor Peter Lill & Son's building of eighteen stories, which will be the highest in Canada. An addition to the C. P. R. Fort Garry Hotel to cost \$500,000 is being planned and the doubling of Fort Garry Hotel to cost \$150,000, are also listed.

A press dispatch from Montreal, dated July 10, reads: "Perhaps the most interesting passenger on the Royal Edward, which arrived yesterday morning, was Mrs. Mary Brown, 41 years of age, of Kent, England. She is on her blushing way to Victoria, B. C., to get married, her fiancé being ten years her junior. Until this trip on the Royal Edward, Mrs. Brown had never seen a steamship, and in fact had never left her home town. She has for the past ten years been corresponding with the man she is now going to marry."

The members of the Brotherhood of Railway Employees, employed by the Canadian Pacific Railway, have sent to the president of the system a demand similar to that made by the men employed on the eastern roads of the United States, for higher wages. "This does not mean that there will be a strike on this side," said one of the officials of the men's union. "Our committee will not move until the matter is decided in the United States." It is understood among railroad men that the Grand Trunk men will not be asked at this time to take any part.

John McLennan, fireman, and Frank Hamlin, deckhand, of the steamer No-witka, were drowned at Atholmer last week. It appears that Hamlin and Thomas Weston were in bathing together, and suddenly it was noticed that Hamlin appeared to be drowning. Before Weston could enter the water to assist Hamlin, McLennan jumped overboard from the steamer and Hamlin dragged McLennan down with him. McLennan is an old-timer in the valley. Just about three years ago McLennan's brother was drowned near Spillimacheen.

According to the estimates of White-aker, the entire population of the British Empire is 434,286,550, and the total area 13,537,172 square miles, of which 121,512 are in Europe, 2,187,500 in Asia, 3,618,240 in North America, 12,300 in the West Indies, 57,800 in South America, and 3,214,685 in Australia. The population of the United Kingdom, rather than decreasing, has been steadily increasing. The census of 1841 showed a population of 26,730,929; that of 1851, 27,390,629; in 1861, the population was 28,922,485; in 1871, 31,494,661; in 1881, 34,888,848; in 1891, 37,888,439; in 1901, 44,457,414. The census enumeration showed a population of 45,216,741.

The Cuban secret police report the discovery of a conspiracy among the adherents of Governor Agassot to assassinate Colonel Aurelio Rovia, secretary of the interior, whom they accuse of attempting to disrupt their party by ordering the late General Armando Riva, chief of the Cuban National Police, to raid the Asbert Club on Monday night.

The Railway Board has issued, in printed form, a highly technical order, in which provision is made with respect to new regulations governing railway safety appliances. The object of the order is to provide all the protection possible for the employees of the railways and the traveling public. Many suggestions by the organizations of railway employees are incorporated in the order.

Canadian exhibits are excluded from the fairs of North Dakota. "The finest compliment that could be paid to us," said J. Bruce Walker, commissioner of immigration, upon receipt of advice to that effect, "communicating this decision to Winnipeg exhibitors, the secretary of the North Dakota Fair Association states the reason, which is the fear that local exhibitors will be discouraged because of the good showing made by Canadian exhibits."

An industrial movement has begun among Unionist members of Parliament for the abolition of payment of members as instituted by the present government. At the last meeting of the Unionist association a discussion took place on the whole question, when it was decided to recommend that the party leaders should officially declare against salaries for members. This expression of opinion will be communicated to Lord Lansdowne and Bonar Law.

Using dynamite as a substitute for firecrackers, some men at Nakusp, whose identity provincial police are endeavoring to ascertain blew the corner of the house of D. T. Bulger, a shipyard superintendent, and tore a huge hole in the ground during a 4th of July celebration. Mr. Bulger and wife had left the house a few moments before the explosion, which was caused by several sticks of dynamite. The police believe the explosion was the result of a drunken prank.

Among the men now living in British Columbia who dug gold in Cariboo in 1861 are: Edgar Dewdney, of Victoria; Ned Stout, of Yale; C. G. Major, of New Westminster; John McLean, of Quesnel; J. May, of Peace River; George Harvey, of Colville, Wash.; Johnny Bryant, of Nanaimo; John McLennan, of Vancouver; Tom Ladner, of Vancouver; Doc English, of Ashcroft; Isaac Oppenheimer, of Barlby; Sam many, of Bulkley; and Big Bear, Sam Pierce and Bob Stevenson, of Princeton.

Basil Hacking, a four-year-old boy, living with his parents on their ranch, eight miles up the North Fork of the Kootenai River, is blind, and has lost three fingers and the thumb of his right hand owing to the carelessness of some neighbors in leaving dynamite caps with which they had been blasphemously stumps lying around. Hacking, who is in the hospital at Grand Fork, found the caps and put one in his pocket; he endeavored to force a stick into the cap with the result that it exploded in his face.

The Dominion Government is arranging through the department of marine and fisheries for a \$10,000 exhibit of food fish at the Toronto exhibition of this year. The exhibit will be the first of its kind ever attempted in Canada. Arrangements for the display have been completed by W. A. Found, Dominion superintendent of the fishery museum at Ottawa, will be in charge. There is to be a kitchen in connection with the display, and an expert chef will fry fish steaks, which will be served hot free of charge.

An effort is being made by the Edmonton Industrial Bureau to promote a trip through the United States of the business men of seven of the principal cities of Western Canada. This trip, if it is arranged, will be taken solely for publicity purposes, and it is hoped that Western Canada would receive extensive advertising if the representatives of the cities of the west were to tour the Middle Western States in a body. As it would require considerable capital to meet the expenses of the party, nothing definite has been decided on as yet.

It is learned that Reinhold Hoppe of Oakland, California, recently located one of the best coal areas in Western Canada on the Smokey River in Northern Alberta, about 200 miles northwest of Edmonton. The fields are located within forty miles of the main line of the G. T. P. and experts have reported that the deposits are anthracite and superior to Pennsylvania hard coal. The area, consisting of 22,000 acres, has been leased by Dr. Hoppe and Mr. Paul Isenhardt of Honolulu, a wealthy business associate, and they contemplate starting coal mining operations on a large scale.

Such alarm has been caused by the recent suffrage demonstrations aimed at King George that a special bodyguard has been provided for His Majesty to protect him from actual injury at the hands of the "Wild Women." On one occasion a report spread that an attempt had been made to assassinate the King and the women were roughly handled. Scotland Yard is said to have evidence that the militant leaders have planned the most daring campaign imaginable to gain their ends and it is pointed that this actually included an attempt to kidnap His Majesty.

Premier McBride has announced that he intends to visit England at the end of August, in connection with a variety of official business. He also announced that legislation will be introduced next session creating a municipal bureau, which will probably be made a sub-department of the Attorney-General's department. Various suggestions embodied in the report of the provincial municipal commission, as well as recommendations of various organizations, provincial and federal, devoted to cities, will be adopted by the government in drafting the proposed measure.

All electrical workers in Edmonton who are members of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers are out on strike, and over a hundred men are being called in by the city. The city has been placed in charge of a picket leader. The men on strike are visiting any jobs where work is still in progress and explaining the situation to the men still at work with the object of inducing them to leave work. Considerable inconvenience is being caused by the strike, as the public in many cases have to be left without electric light, or with lights only partially installed.

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Application for a lease must be made by the applicant to the Agent for the Dominion of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal subdivisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the land applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself. Each application must be accompanied by a fee of \$5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

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For information an application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of the Dominion Lands.

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	Per
1 to 100 kilowatt hours	1.5 cents
101 to 200 " "	1.4 cents
201 to 500 " "	1.35 cents
501 to 1000 " "	1.3 cents
1001 to 2000 " "	1.25 cents
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\$15.00	\$9.00	\$7.50	\$5.50
\$17.50	\$10.00	\$15.00	\$8.50
\$27.50	\$16.50	\$17.50	\$11.50
\$35.00	\$19.50	\$25.00	\$15.00
DRESSES		SKIRTS	
Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days
\$4.00	\$3.00	\$1.75	\$1.25
\$10.50	\$7.95	\$4.00	\$3.00
\$18.00	\$11.00	\$7.00	\$5.50
\$22.50	\$18.50	\$10.00	\$7.00

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CORSET COVERS		DRAWERS		SKIRTS	
Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days
30c	25c	40c	30c	1.00	85c
40c	30c	50c	40c	1.75	1.25
60c	50c	65c	50c	2.25	1.75
75c	55c	85c	65c	2.75	2.00
COMBINATIONS		PRINCESS SLIPS		NIGHTDRESSES	
Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days
\$1.00	75c	\$1.25	95c	75c	60c
\$1.75	\$1.25	\$1.50	\$1.00	1.00	75c
\$2.25	\$1.50	\$2.00	\$1.15	1.25	95c
\$3.95	\$3.25	\$2.75	\$1.50	1.50	\$1.00
KIMONAS		PETTICOATS		WOVEN UNDERWEAR	
Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days
\$1.25 to \$2.00	\$1.00	\$1.25	95c	15c Vests	10c
\$1.75	\$1.25	\$2.25	\$1.75	25c Vests	20c
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\$18.50	\$11.50	\$17.50	\$12.50

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Special Footwear Bargains for Last 3 Days

on display tables in Footwear Department. It would be impossible to quote every number on sale in the space of an "ad" but full ranges of prices may be seen in our Sale Catalog which will be sent by return upon request. We append a few of the numbers taken from the Catalog:—

WOMEN'S		WOMEN'S	
Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days
No. 145—Reg. \$4.00 Patent Button Boots.....	\$3.25	No. 356—Reg. \$3.25 Tan Colonial Pumps.....	\$2.50
No. 144—Reg. \$3.75 Patent Bluchers.....	\$3.00	No. 345—Reg. \$3.00 Tan Ankle Strap Pumps.....	\$2.25
No. 128—Reg. \$4.50 Tan Willow Calf Button Boots.....	\$3.75	No. 381—Reg. \$2.50 Patent Ankle Strap Pumps.....	\$2.00
No. 146—Reg. \$4.00 Tan Willow Calf Bluchers.....	\$3.25		
No. 120—Reg. \$4.50 Gunmetal Calf Button Boots.....	\$3.75		
No. 118—Reg. \$3.50 Gunmetal Calf Bluchers.....	\$2.75		
No. 212—Reg. \$2.75 Patent Button Oxfords.....	\$2.25		
No. 224—Reg. \$3.50 Patent Blucher Oxfords.....	\$3.00		
No. 211—Reg. \$3.50 Tan Willow Calf Button Oxfords.....	\$2.75		
No. 253—Reg. \$3.00 Tan Willow Calf Blucher Oxfords.....	\$2.25		
No. 234—Reg. \$3.25 Gunmetal Calf Button Oxfords.....	\$2.50		
No. 233—Reg. \$3.00 Gunmetal Blucher Oxfords.....	\$2.50		

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All odds and ends from goods sold during the sale will be gathered together on one display table. There will be ends and short lengths of Silks, Dress Goods, Cotton Goods and Staples. Be on hand early in the day and secure the best bargains.

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Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days
75c Values.....	50c	60c Values.....	45c	\$1.00 Values.....	69c
85c Values.....	65c	95c Values.....	50c	\$1.75 Values.....	\$1.25
\$1.00 Values.....	85c	\$1.50 Values.....	95c	\$2.50 Values.....	\$1.65
\$1.75 Values.....	\$1.25	\$2.00 Values.....	\$1.15	\$3.25 Values.....	\$2.15
DRAWERS		SKIRTS		NIGHTDRESSES	
Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days
To fit ages 2 to 6 years.....	20c	50c.....	40c	To fit ages 2 to 8 years.....	50c
25c.....	20c	65c.....	55c	To fit ages 6 to 8 years.....	65c
30c.....	25c			To fit ages 10 to 14 years.....	75c
To fit ages 8 to 14 years.....	40c				
50c.....	40c				
85c.....	70c				

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\$5.00, Size 9x9.....	\$3.75	A splendid variety to choose from.....		75c Stools.....	60c
\$5.75, Size 9x9.....	\$4.25			\$1.00 Stools with backs.....	80c
\$6.75, Size 9x9.....	\$4.75			\$1.50 Stools with backs.....	\$1.20
\$8.25, Size 9x9.....	\$6.00			\$2.25 Collapsible Chairs.....	\$1.75
\$9.50, Size 9x10.....	\$7.75			\$2.50 Collapsible Chairs.....	\$2.00
\$12.00, Size 9x9.....	\$9.00			\$1.50 Reclining Chairs.....	\$1.15
\$12.25, Size 9x10.....	\$11.50			\$2.00 Reclining Chairs.....	\$1.40
TAPESTRY SQUARES		40-PIECE CHINA TEA SETS		SPECIAL CLEARING PRICES	
Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days	ON TENTS	
\$11.00, Size 9x10.....	\$8.00	\$6.75.....	\$5.00	\$3.00, 7x7, wedge.....	\$2.50
\$13.00, Size 9x9.....	\$9.00			\$6.75, 8x10, 8 oz., wedge.....	\$5.75
\$15.00, Size 9x10.....	\$10.00			\$8.75, 10x12, 8 oz., wedge.....	\$7.50
\$17.50, Size 9x12.....	\$11.50			\$7.50, 8x10, 8 oz., wall.....	\$6.50
\$20.00, Size 9x12.....	\$12.50			\$10.50, 10x12, 8 oz., wall.....	\$9.00
BRUSSELS SQUARES		SEMI-PORCELAIN TOILET SETS		\$14.25, 12x14, 8 oz., wall.....	\$12.00
Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days	\$18.50, 14x16, 8 oz., wall.....	\$16.00
\$15.00, Size 9x10.....	\$11.25	\$2.25 5-piece Sets.....	\$1.85	\$22.50, 14x16, 10 oz., wall.....	\$19.50
\$20.00, Size 9x10.....	\$15.00	\$2.75 10-piece Sets.....	\$2.10	\$32.00, 17x19, 10 oz., wall.....	\$22.00
\$22.50, Size 9x10.....	\$17.25	\$4.00 10-piece Sets.....	\$3.00		
\$25.00, Size 9x12.....	\$18.75	\$5.00 10-piece Sets.....	\$3.75		
\$27.50, Size 9x12.....	\$20.00				
VELVET PILES AND WILTONS		LINOLEUMS			
Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days		
\$25.00, Size 9x10.....	\$26.25	65c Sq. Yd., Printed.....	50c		
\$40.00, Size 9x12.....	\$30.00	75c Sq. Yd., Printed.....	60c		
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\$50.00, Size 9x12.....	\$37.50				
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Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days
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Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days
Bleached Irish linen in floral design, made especially for us. Size 68x68. Reg. \$2.00 each.	\$1.55	These beautiful finish quilts all come in good large sizes.	
TABLE NAPKINS		Regular	Last 3 Days
Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	Last 3 Days
Bleached Irish linen in various designs, made especially for us. Size 21x21. Reg. \$1.75 doz.	\$1.45	\$1.50	\$1.20
TABLE LINEN SETS		\$2.00	\$1.55
Regular	Last 3 Days	CAMBRIC	
Regular	Last 3 Days	Regular	
Reg. \$12.00 set of circular cloth, size 90x90 with eyes scalloped and 12 serviettes to match, size 27x27. Beautiful quality conventional design damask. Put up in boxes, suitable for presentation.	\$8.95	20 inches wide in a good stout quality. A bargain at regular price.	\$1.00
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THE BALKAN WAR

St. Petersburg, July 10.—Because of the terrible slaughter attending the second Balkan war between the Allies, Russia has decided to intervene. It is reported in official circles today. Russia expects to terminate hostilities before the end of the week, it is said, and prevent Roumania from engaging in war against Bulgaria.

St. Petersburg, July 11.—Bulgaria has placed herself unreservedly in the hands of Russia with the view of bringing about a cessation of hostilities in the Balkans and in order to prevent further bloodshed, according to the announcement made here today, apparently on good authority.

Vienna, July 10.—France has undertaken to negotiate with Serbia and Greece on behalf of Bulgaria to ascertain what terms of peace can be arranged.

The French Government has advised the Greeks and Serbians not to demand too much or otherwise Bulgaria is likely to prefer to take the chances of fighting out the quarrel.

London, July 11.—It is officially confirmed here that Bulgaria has taken the initiative of asking the European powers to try to end the Balkan war.

London, July 11.—Out of the welter of a conflicting wealth of stories from the Balkans, it is almost impossible to sift the truth.

This was markedly illustrated last night, a despatch from the Daily Telegraph's correspondent at Ustka dated Tuesday night, reporting that there has hardly been any fighting in the last few days, while Belgrade despatches reported four Serbian victories, the latest advice from the Serbian capital asserting that all the Bulgarians who had invaded Serbia had been driven back across the frontier.

Atrocities are Unbelievable
A correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, who arrived at Nigrita Saturday morning, describes the town as a reeking heap of smoldering ruins and confirms the reports of wholesale murders and burning committed by the Bulgarians in all the villages around, as well as Nigrita. He estimated that 1500 persons have been killed in this manner. The correspondent declares these atrocities have imbued the Greek soldiers with a frenzied rage and desire to be revenged on the Bulgarians, which carries them to victory against any enemy.

Referred to Russia.
Constantinople, July 12.—Negotiations between Turkey and Bulgaria regarding the future frontier between the two nations have failed.

Sofia, July 12.—All the belligerents in the Balkan war have given Russia full power to find a way to bring hostilities to an end.

Athens, July 12.—It is semi-officially announced that the Greek Government has replied to the Russian proposal for the cessation of hostilities, that peace must be concluded on the battlefield. The proposal was supported by Great Britain and France.

London, July 12.—Merciless butchery, pillaging and acts of the most inhumane kind toward their opponents has lost Bulgaria the friendship of the world in the Balkan war. That the realm of Caesar Ferdinand gives promise of a fallen and discredited country can scarcely be disputed.

Barbarism of the medieval ages has been almost as nothing compared with the phantom slaughter and appalling ruthless taking of life in a sacrifice for the ambitions of Bulgaria, which is now fighting against its former allies in the great battles which were waged against Turkey.

Incendiarism, murder, massacre and merciless treatment of women and children fill a dark passage in the history of the latest Balkan war. The sign of the Red Cross and the white aproned nurse are treated as enemies in common. It is a terrible arraignment that the Bulgarians will face when it comes time for a settlement of troubles which now seems to be near at hand.

Ecclesiastics Mercilessly Slaughtered.
From Salonika comes the report to the Times, transmitted by the King's order, to Prince Nicholas that the Serbian commander when he entered Demirhisar was informed that the Bulgarians were preparing to quit the town.

More than 100 Greek notables and herded them in the yard of the Bulgarian school where they were mercilessly butchered by order of a Bulgarian officer.

The Serbian commander had the bodies disinterred, the report says, and thus the crime was verified. The Daily Mail's correspondent with the Serbian army reported by way of Kumanovo that the Bulgarians on arriving at Kujuzevits in Eastern Serbia, pillaged all the shops and some private houses.

After the Serbians had driven them out a scene of devastation was disclosed which was beyond description. They had attacked the Bulgarians again, inflicting terrible losses. Some reports gave as high as 6000 Bulgarians killed.

Armistice is Broken.
It is asserted that the Bulgarians captured a considerable force to get their artillery across the Zhetovo River in their retreat July 1. They sent delegates with a priest to the Serbian positions, begging an armistice.

In the meantime the guns were taken across, and the Bulgarians reopened with a heavy fire, without warning, causing heavy losses to the Serbians.

The Serbian minister at London has submitted to the British foreign office a photographic reproduction of a document found on the body of a Bulgarian officer, which it is alleged, proves that the Bulgarians began the hostilities. The document contains instructions to commence surprise operations against the Greeks and Serbians.

Make Last Stand.

Athens, July 12.—Gen. Ivanoff's army and three divisions of the 14th force, aggregating 112 battalions, made its last stand in a strongly entrenched position near Demirhisar on the left bank of the River Struma and on the adjacent heights of Iustrina, which were well defended with siege artillery. As the Greek artillery was out of range, the battle was indecisive for a considerable time.

Under cover of darkness, however, the attack was renewed, and in a brilliant charge the Greeks dislodged the Bulgarians and drove them across the Struma.

Panacea from Greece.
Athens, July 14.—King Constantine has sent the following to the Greek minister of foreign affairs:

"The commander of the Sixth Division reports that Bulgarian soldiers, carrying out the orders of their captain, gathered together in the courtyard of the school at Demirhisar, two priests and over 100 notables, whom they massacred. The bodies have been disinterred in order to prove the crime. Protest in my name to the representatives of the civilized powers against the acts of these monsters in human form. Protest also to the entire civilized world, and say that, to my regret, I see myself compelled to repeat these horrors with terror and make them reflect before committing more outrages of this kind."

"The Bulgarians have surpassed all the horrors of barbaric times, and have proved that they no longer have a right to be reckoned among civilized people."

Turks Make a Move.

Constantinople, July 14.—The Turkish troops at Thatalia and Bulair have received orders to march for the occupation of the Ottoman territory now held by the Bulgarians. Preparations are being hastily made for an advance toward the Egean line.

The Bulgarian delegate, M. Natchovitz, expressed regret at the failure of his mission, which he had hoped would result in a Turko-Bulgarian alliance. The mission of the Serbian delegate, M. Pavlovich, has proved successful. It is said that an agreement between Turkey and Serbia will be signed tomorrow.

According to Turkish accounts the agreement insures Turkey the recovery of a large part of Thrace. Negotiations for an understanding at Ustka dated Tuesday night, reporting that there has hardly been any fighting in the last few days, while Belgrade despatches reported four Serbian victories, the latest advice from the Serbian capital asserting that all the Bulgarians who had invaded Serbia had been driven back across the frontier.

Little Prospect of Peace.
London, July 14.—King Constantine's protest to the civilized world against Bulgarian atrocities destroys the last hope of those who believed that Russia would succeed in inducing the belligerents to accept arbitration. Spectators of the struggle were confident throughout that Serbia would prove amenable to the counsels of moderation in view of the appalling losses she sustained. In effect, the Bulgarians from Macedonia, but were less hopeful that Greece would listen to reason, as her people and army are obviously intoxicated by the victories over the dreaded Bulgarians.

Counter Charges.
Sofia, July 14.—An official statement has been issued by the Government as follows:

"The Greeks daily publish calumnious statements accusing the Bulgarians of massacres and incendiarism. In this connection it must be pointed out that the Greek troops killed thousands of Bulgarians at Kiklish and Dolran and burned their villages. A number of refugees who succeeded in escaping have already arrived at Sofia. This is in addition to the monstrous action against the Bulgarian garrison at Salonika."

Roumania's Declaration.

Bucharest, Roumania, July 12.—The Roumanian Government decided today to notify the Bulgarian Government that the Roumanian army would not permit the Bulgarians to cross the frontier. Roumania would take part in the discussion of the final partition of the territories of what was formerly European Turkey.

Combining of Forces.
London, July 12.—A Salonika dispatch to the Times gives the latest official despatches in which it is declared that a column of Bulgarians, endeavoring to pass Petrich was repulsed by the Greeks, who captured fifteen guns. The Serbian occupation of Radoviche is confirmed, and the Bulgarian retreat from Istip therefore is cut off.

At the end of a fortnight's desperate fighting in the Balkans, Bulgaria is forced to appeal to the powers to arrange peace. The Bulgarian army has driven a wedge between the Greek and Serbian armies in the neighborhood of Guevgueli has completely failed.

At last reports of fighting received from Athens tonight show that the Serbians and Greeks at this point are combining their forces, while the Roumanian army is beginning an invasion of Bulgaria.

The latter fact doubtless was the deciding factor in the Bulgarian appeal to the powers.

How far Bulgaria's defeat is due to dissension in high military quarters, which resulted in the resignation of General Saffov, and how far to the fact that the Bulgarians were out of the front of the hard fighting in the last campaign, were more exhausted than the Greek or Serbian forces, will probably never be known.

Greeks Win Victory.

London, July 12.—Greek troops today occupied Demirhisar, thirteen miles northwest of Seres, after a brilliant victory over the Bulgarians, who had been in possession since they won it from the Turks.

According to an exchange telegraph company dispatch from Athens, the Bulgarians fled, abandoning their field guns, ammunition and provisions. A telegram to the same agency from Constantinople says it is announced by the newspapers that Midia, the town on the Black Sea which was to form the eastern end of the future frontier line between Bulgaria and Turkey, is in flames.

Battle in Progress.

Athens, July 12.—Official dispatches report that continued pursuit of the Bulgarians and a desperate battle in the passes of Mount Helios and on the road from Dolran to Stramitsa resulted in complete victory for the Greeks and the rout of the Bulgarians.

The capture of these passes was a disaster for the Bulgarians. Patriotic donations are pouring into the treasury. The largest of these came from a rich Greek living in Paris, named Zacharoff, who set 100,000 francs at the disposal of the government.

Great Conflict Raging.

Belgrade, July 12.—Reports are current that a great battle is raging around Kustendil, the result of which may have a most important bearing on the campaign. Late dispatches announce that the Serbians, who were pursuing the Bulgarians from Istip, have occupied Radoviche, where they came in contact with the Greek forces.

Can we get along on my salary? Let's see said the girl. We'll need theatre tickets, flowers, candy, taxi-cabs will be an item, and your rich expenses will amount to something. Don't overlook clothes, food, rent, light and fuel, called her father from the next room. They are items that always come up.

RIOT IN BELFAST.

Nationalists and Unionists Clash and Then Unite Against Police.

Belfast, Ireland, July 12.—Some-what serious rioting occurred here early today at the opening of the celebration of the "Twelfth," the Orangemen's July festival. Many windows were broken and a number of policemen and civilians were injured, two of them so severely that they had to be taken to a hospital.

Rival factions of Nationalists and Unionists first fought each other furiously, and then when a large body of police appeared and endeavored to separate them, joined forces and attacked the policemen.

The fight raged along the streets for an hour and a half. Sticks were used freely by the civilians, who also threw stones, accompanied by an occasional revolver shot. The policemen drew their truncheons and charged, and hand-to-hand fighting went on till 5 o'clock, when the crowds dispersed. Only one arrest was made.

Belfast, Ireland, July 12.—The Orangemen of Ireland and Great Britain are today celebrating the 228th anniversary of the battle of the Boyne, which, fought July 1 (old calendar), 1690, resulted in the final overthrow of the last British Catholic monarch, James II.

Naturally the greatest demonstrations are being held in the province of Ulster, and in view of the imminence of the enactment of the Irish Home Rule bill, considerable religious and partisan bitterness is displayed. Fearing collisions between Nationalists and Orangemen, the military authorities had taken stringent precautions for the preservation of order, and General Clive, King George's cousin, who commanded the troops in Belfast, had his men confined to the barracks in readiness for emergencies while strong detachments of local police and the Royal Irish Constabulary (a mounted semi-military force) were posted at strategic points.

Nationalist leader John Redmond warned his followers not to do anything likely to provoke trouble, and to try to keep their minds clear of the Orangemen's fears of religious persecution when home rule becomes law are unfounded. The spirit of the Orangemen, however, is such that these peaceful overtures were rejected.

HOME RULE BILL.

Forecast of Procedure Should Measure Become Law.

London, July 12.—The Home Rule Bill which passed its third reading in the House of Commons on Monday is now in something like its final form. In a forecast of the procedure as regards the institution of Home Rule, the Daily News says:

"On the act of becoming operative, it is understood the King will be advised to send for John Redmond, who will be asked to form a government. On the final passage of the bill, Irish privy councillors will be conferred on Messrs. Redmond and Dillon and the leading colleagues. In due course, Mr. Redmond will retire from the active leadership of the Nationalists in the House of Commons and will doubtless be succeeded by T. P. O'Connor."

Mr. Redmond's retention of office will depend upon the result of the first Irish election. There is little doubt that he will obtain a working majority and the first act of his government will be to establish a responsible administration in Dublin on a firm and durable basis.

For Royal Residence.

"With the final passage of the bill the self-denying ordinance whereby the Nationalists refuse to take office under the crown or attend state functions will be cancelled, the lord lieutenant's court will become for the first time representative of Irish society and the question of a royal residence in Ireland can be practically considered."

It is hoped in Nationalist circles that arrangements may be made with the Bank of Ireland whereby the old Parliament House on College Green may be restored to its constitutional function. The chamber of Irish House of Lords still remains much as it was and if it were devoted to the Irish Senate it would be here that the opening ceremony would naturally be held. It is the present hope that under Home Rule the Duke of Connaught may be Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

Mr. Redmond's Policy.

"The character of Mr. Redmond's policy will be what in this country would be called conservative. It may be taken as certain that the main desire of responsible persons will be to respect the susceptibilities, and pay due honor to the high character of the Protestant counties."

As regards the plans of the Ulster men, the Daily News says: "They are in the obscure. In the event of an Irish election taking place the Ulster men, according to present intentions, will be counselled not to vote."

It is undoubtedly proceeding in four counties, but it must be clearly understood that there will be no shooting down of these levies unless it is absolutely necessary to protect lives and property. The suggestion is that when the present controversy has blown over the Ulster levies might contribute valuable additions to the territorial army."

Home Rulers' Contentions.

"The whole contention of the Home Rulers is that occasion for the use of the levies against the crown will never arise, since no attack on religious or civil liberty is either contemplated or conceivable."

It is anticipated that the royal assent to the Home Rule bill will be signified about the month of June next year. The act comes into operation on the first Tuesday in February, 1915, but by an order in council the United Government can antedate the operation by seven months, or post date it seven months, and it may be assumed that the operation of the act will not take effect until after the general election of 1915 for the United Kingdom. By that election 103 Irish members will be sent to Westminster. Those members will retain their seats in the Imperial Parliament until the Irish Parliament actually into being early in 1916."

He—I got it hot and heavy from my wife this morning.

She—How was that?

He—She made some biscuits for breakfast.

I have an indolent husband, said Little Miss Doll.

Yes, so George says, responded Mrs. Spiffle. Sometimes he changes in a little too much, doesn't he.

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GARBLED STATEMENTS.

If the Canadian Magazine were capable of discussing matters of political import in a more impartial manner, it would probably enjoy a larger circulation than it can at present boast of. But this publication may be depended upon to seize every possible opportunity to distort facts, and give them a bias in favor of the Liberal party. A striking instance of this is afforded by an article in the July number, which purports to discuss the "Naval Controversy in Canada." This is but a feeble rehash of the misstatements and false conclusions which are constantly appearing in the Opposition press, and might be passed over without comment did it not appear in a magazine which aspires to reflect Canadian life and opinion. After a few introductory remarks in which the recent action of the Senate is discussed, the writer proceeds to refer to the Naval Bill, and at once his partisan leanings become apparent, as will be seen by the following paragraph:

"There does not seem to be any anxiety on the part of the Dominion Government to accept the challenge of the Senate and submit the issue to the people. Either the emergency is not so urgent as Canadians were led to believe or Mr. Borden has not been able to impose the conditions which he suggested when in England might be the subject of negotiations between the Dominion and British governments."

Now, the most superficial examination of such a statement at once betrays its absurdity. Any person who has given the matter the slightest consideration, knows that a battleship cannot be built in a month or two. The emergency which Canada's contribution to the Imperial navy was calculated to meet is indeed a pressing one, but it is one that is constantly increasing in menace, and will develop to its more acute stage when the German programme is carried into effect two or three years hence. By that time, Mr. Borden's proposal had not been killed by the Senate, Canada's reinforcement of the Imperial sea force of Great Britain would have been an accomplished fact. It is also apparent that the writer of the article in the Canadian Magazine willfully overlooks the striking fact that in consequence of Canada's failure to carry out Mr. Borden's proposal, Mr. Winston Churchill was impelled to make the statement in the British House of Commons that, as a result of the Senate's action, "His Majesty's Government have determined to advance the construction of the three contract ships of this year's programme, and orders have been issued by the Admiralty which will ensure them being begun at the earliest possible date, instead of March next." This is a pretty effective indication that in the minds of those responsible for the safety of the Empire, the "emergency" is by no means a figment of the imagination. Mr. Borden surely made his position clear when he stated in this connection that these ships to which Mr. Winston Churchill refers "are of the same character and strength and value as those which we proposed, and are to be for the same purpose, namely, that of the common defence of our Empire. It is the intention of the Government, if it remains in power—as undoubtedly it will—to bring down at a later date a proposal for the acquisition or construction of three battleships, as was proposed in the Naval Aid Bill of 1912." The prompt action of the British Government is a striking rebuke to Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his followers in the House, when they contended so vehemently that the ships were not required. It must not be forgotten, either, that, as a result of Mr. Borden's negotiations with the British Government, a member of the Canadian Cabinet now has a right to be present at the meetings of the Committee of Im-

perial Defence. This, to any unprejudiced person, is surely a sufficient answer to this writer's contention that Mr. Borden has made no progress to secure a voice for the Dominion in the issues of peace and war.

The contributor of this misleading article next makes an attempt to consider what he terms constitutional changes. He endeavors to advance the claim that Canada by the contribution of three Dreadnoughts "was seeking to carry through constitutional changes in the relations between Canada and the Empire for which it had no mandate, and which the people alone had a right to decide." This statement is as ridiculous as it is untrue. A moment's consideration will show, for instance, that not the faintest shadow of a "constitutional change" was effected in New Zealand when that little Dominion placed a battle cruiser at the disposal of the Admiralty. The contention is too absurd to require further consideration. The writer is equally unhappy when he passes on to the next point that he seeks to make. He makes a reference to what he calls "Great Britain's foreign allies," Japan and France, who, he claims, are safeguarding our Imperial interests in the Pacific and Mediterranean, and he asks: "If the principle of naval co-operation can be carried out in the case of France and Japan, why not in conjunction with the Dominions? As no strategic excuse can be advanced for this distrust of her own Dominions by Great Britain, Canadians must look elsewhere for the reasons that have led Mr. Borden to accept the principle of centralized naval control in relation to Canada's unit of defence, whatever form this ultimately may assume."

Here is about as fatuous a piece of reasoning as has yet appeared during the long course of discussion over the Naval Bill. Of course it goes without saying that the Dominions are not affected as regards naval defence by the terms of the Anglo-Japanese Alliance or the entente cordiale with France. This argument goes on all fours with Sir Wilfrid Laurier's strange doctrine that Canada would not necessarily be at war when Great Britain was engaged in strife. This whole matter, in the last analysis, resolves itself into the plain question as to whether Canada is to effectively and promptly co-operate with the British Government in the defence of the Empire, or whether the humiliating position in which this country has been placed by the Opposition at Ottawa shall be allowed to continue.

BOOSTING FOR CANADA.

"Canada is on a sound basis, and has every reason to look forward to a steady advance in prosperity and population." This sentence from the speech of the Duke of Connaught, who has just been appointed for another year to the Governor-Generalship of Canada, will do much to restore in England the confidence of investors which has undoubtedly been waning slightly. Another sentence from his speech reads, "I am afraid that in England they are beginning to get a little nervous for the immense number of emigrants going to Canada." This statement will appeal almost as effectively as the other to the English investor. Where the emigrants flow he knows there must be progress. The more England and Scotland talk about their dislike of the greater number of emigrants that are going out of the country, the more reason we have to be pleased. It is the best kind of advertising that Canada could get. We would that all Northern Europe were continually talking of it. The more the people talk among themselves the more general will be the migration. The more the employing classes deplore in the newspapers the loss of their workers, the more the workers will think there must be something to their advantage in emigration. As the "Commercial" of Winnipeg puts it, "Every knock is a boost." There have been times when the influx of immigrants to Canada might have been much less than it was or might have even ceased without doing our country any appreciable harm. To-day our financial valuations have been based by last year's boom in manufacture, commerce and real estate on an assumed growth of population by immigration during the next five or ten years that is to be far in excess of that of the last five. At the present time this forecast is being fulfilled. If the fulfillment keeps on at the present rate, the augmented values may not have to be cut down. We have undoubtedly placed ourselves where only sustained immigration can prevent a relapse.

Without intention Speaker Champ Clark, of the United States House of Representatives, is helping on Canada's campaign for new settlers in a most able manner. He calculates that the United States is losing to Canada through emigration one hundred and twenty-three million dollars a year. Legislatively there is nothing he can do to check this rush. As an advertiser he can greatly aid it. One or two of the States have tried, in view of the exodus, to pass more satisfactory laws for pre-emption within their borders. The result has been, however, that the discussion of these measures in the legislature gave to Canada the finest advertising she ever had at the sources of her most wealthy class of

immigrants. In the debates they had to show why it was that the rush to Canada existed before they could draw conclusions as to how it should be checked, and their description of the reason why people were selling out land in their states to buy or stake, as the case might be, new land in Canada, was a revelation to many of their citizens who had never considered the matter seriously before. At this moment, when immigration is our very life, we should do all we can to treat every immigrant in such a way as will make him satisfied with his change, and prevent stories of dissatisfaction being sent home.

AN UNFAIR VIEW.

"The \$15,640,000 which the Government gave to Mackenzie and Mann all came out of the pockets of the people. It is about \$2 per head, or \$10 for every average farmer's family. So far as the farmer is concerned he is in just the same position as if he had dumped 12 bushels of his best wheat into the river."

This is from the coyer of the Grain Growers' Guide. It is the sort of thing that is being repeatedly served up for consumption in Western Canada, more particularly by those engaged in wheat farming. If the Guide will keep on looking back, it may remember that when the Grand Trunk Pacific enterprise was first before the people, the Conservative party opposed it with a government-owned railway in the West as an alternative. Sir Wilfrid Laurier stumped the West telling the people not to vote for a government-owned railway, and the voters obeyed him. Now the West is being served by three transcontinental lines all privately-owned. In the interests of the country it is a vital necessity that no one of these railways halts in its program of extension or in its service to the people.

Upon national as well as economic grounds the action of the Parliament of Canada in assisting the Canadian Northern last session must be regarded as justifiable and proper. The Guide says nothing about the seven millions of stock handed over to the Canadian people by the Canadian Northern in return for the assistance given. It is apparently uninterested in the fact that the Government may secure a voice in the management of the road. It also overlooks the fact that the subsidy "which the Government gave to Mackenzie and Mann" was given by Parliament without serious opposition from the Liberals.

CANADA'S MINERAL WEALTH.

The annual report on the mineral production of Canada for the year 1911 has recently been issued from the Department of Mines. According to these revised statistics the total value of mineral production for the year was \$103,220,944; which, although less than the production in 1910 by \$3,302,629, was nevertheless much greater than the output of any other previous year.

The year 1886 was the first year for which complete statistics of mineral production in Canada were collected. The production for that year was reported to be \$10,221,255, or about \$2.33 per capita. Ten years later, in 1896, the production had increased over 100 per cent., or \$22,474,256, or \$4.38 per capita. The Yukon now began to contribute largely to gold production and during the next five years an increase of nearly 200 per cent. is shown, the total reaching the value of \$65,797,911. From this time on there was a steady increase, with the exception of 1910, which has been noted.

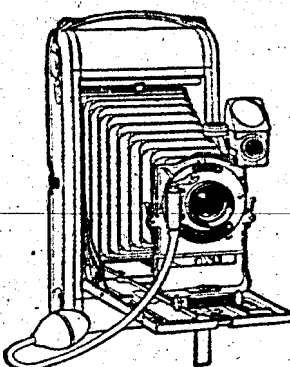
The greatest production in point of value was coal, which contributed over 25 1/2 per cent. of the total production. Silver was next with 16 1/2 per cent.; nickel, nearly 10 per cent.; gold, almost 9 1/2 per cent.; clay products, 8 per cent.; cement, 7 2-5 per cent.; copper, 6 2-3 per cent.

Canada still exports for refining and consumption a large portion of her mineral products. At the same time she imports considerable quantities of mine products which have been refined or subjected to partial treatment or in the form of manufactured goods ready for consumption. The total value of mineral products in the manufactured or semi-manufactured condition imported into Canada in 1911 was \$181,839,077. In the same year the export of the products of the mine was \$52,546,593. The great excess of imports over exports indicates the existence of large opportunities for the development not only of Canada's mineral production but also of many manufacturing industries which utilize mine products as raw material.

TARIFF REFORM.

It was, says the Toronto News, under a protective tariff backed by a navy which kept her immune from invasion that Great Britain became commercially supreme and "the workshop of the world." The introduction of Free Trade found the country practically without competitors in other countries. Since then the extended use of steam and electricity in industrial enterprises and for transportation purposes has helped to maintain the advantage in world trade which Free Trade England took over from Protectionist England. The country has also shared largely in the expansion of commerce caused by a lavish production of gold from the mines, but

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her rivals are overtaking her. British workmen are miserably underpaid, unemployment is widespread in the most "prosperous" times, agriculture languishes and the people fly to protectionist countries like Canada and Australia for a chance in life.

Little wonder, therefore, that increasing numbers of Old Countrymen regard Tariff Reform (which is to say moderate protection plus a trade preference to the overseas Dominions) as extremely desirable. They see in the Unionist policy (1) a means of broadening the basis of taxation to meet growing social and Imperial needs; (2) a means of safeguarding British industries and British workmen against unfair competition from highly protected countries; (3) a lever with which to secure concessions in foreign markets; (4) a bond of common advantage between all parts of the Empire. Such a duty on foreign wheat and other foodstuffs as the Unionists ultimately will propose should give the British, Canadian and Australian farmers larger profits without increasing the cost of bread to Old Country workmen. At least there will be no such advance in the cost of living as there will be in wages.

Cobden promised that Free Trade would enrich English agriculture, but we know that the areas under cultivation have greatly shrunk, that the rural population has hopelessly decreased, and that the country's agricultural losses since 1870 aggregate \$8,500,000,000. That English Liberals are less uncompromising Free Traders than they used to be, is proved by the Asquith Government's action in facilitating a preferential trade arrangement between Canada and the British West Indies, by its recognition of the principle of tariff protection in the Irish Home Rule Bill, and by its legislation compelling the manufacture of patented articles within the British Islands. The Prime Minister, the Earl of Crewe, and Mr. Lloyd George have all expressed their appreciation of the benefits conferred on British trade by the tariff preference which it enjoys in the Canadian market.

The chief advantages which British industries would derive from the Unionist policy may easily be summarized. A moderate duty would check the unfair dumping of foreign products, render the home market more secure, enlarge the colonial markets and thus by increasing the volume of the output actually reduce the unit cost of production. The increased employment which would result for the people would stimulate their spending capacities and the material condition of the whole community would be improved. There is every reason to believe that Tariff Reform and Imperial Preference would improve the business of British railways and steamship companies, and thus enable them to pay better wages. The same result would develop in industrial fields, for the masses in any country are well off largely in proportion to the amount of work which the Government conserves for its wage-earners.

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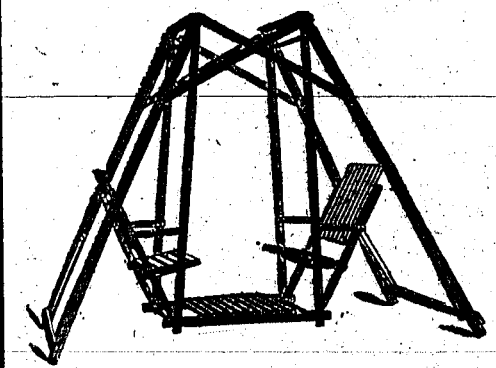
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TOWN AND DISTRICT

Mrs. Greenhow returned on Friday
from a trip to the coast.

W. Swallowell of Okanagan Mission
was in the city on Tuesday.

The Rev. Mr. King of Armstrong
was in the city on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Crowell returned
on Tuesday from a visit to Vancouver
and New Westminster.

W. Scott Allan and W. S. Foggo
returned on Sunday from a trip to the
coast.

R. G. Clarke, chief fire inspector, of
Vancouver, made a trip through the
Okanagan last week.

Mrs. and Miss Cummins left on
Monday to spend several weeks at the
coast.

Mrs. P. Bessette of Lumby was a
passenger to Vancouver by Monday's
train.

Mrs. C. D. Campbell of Kelowna is
on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Steele of
Lake Drive.

Miss Myra Ellison left on Monday
for a trip to the coast. She will attend
the Kilberry orchards and will
be put up in attractive paper car-
tons, which gave them such an en-
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ready sale.

L. J. Ball returned on Friday from
a trip to the coast. Mrs. Ball and child-
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to many friends that an operation on
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Mr. and Mrs. Frank French of Hodge-
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The Hon. Price Ellison came up from
Victoria by Saturday's train.

Divine services will be held next
Sunday in the Coldstream school house,
commencing at 3 o'clock, by the Rev.
Comyn Chinn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Death, of High Park,
Toronto, arrived last week on a three
months' visit to the Okanagan and
will spend several weeks with their
son-in-law, R. Houston, Maple St.

Over five hundred people from points
down the lake and from Vernon filled
the excursion train which went down
to Sanderby on Saturday morning to
attend the big Orange celebration at
that place.

The Rev. J. P. Westman, secretary
of Sunday school work for the Meth-
odist church in British Columbia, pass-
ed through on Tuesday to Kelowna,
where he will conduct a "summer
school" for a week.

A. Lee, of Victoria, was here last
week on a brief visit to his daughter,
Mrs. C. J. Whitten. Mrs. Whitten and
child accompanied him back to the
coast, where they will spend about
six weeks.

Mrs. Wm. Williamson, of Vancou-
ver, who has been spending the past
two weeks in the city visiting her
daughter, Mrs. W. J. Dockery, left
Wednesday for Shuswap, where she
will spend a week or ten days visit-
ing her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Sharpe.

Dr. R. W. Conn and wife of Edmon-
ton, arrived in the city from Banff
on Friday to spend a few days visit-
ing relatives, after which the happy
couple will proceed to the coast cities
where the remainder of their honeymoon
will be spent.

Kamloops will play an exhibition
game in the park here on Friday, (to-
morrow) as the team passes through
on their return journey from Kelowna.
The game is called for one o'clock
sharp, in order that the team may
catch the three o'clock train for the
north.

Ed. Openshaw, who for the past
three years has run a similar business
in Nelson, will open a business in the
old postoffice building in the near fu-
ture. Mr. Openshaw arrived in Ver-
non recently with Mrs. Openshaw, and
has taken up his residence in the
rooms above the store.

A. H. Speer, formerly connected with
the Vernon Fruit Co., leaves today for
Victoria, where he will form a busi-
ness partnership with W. J. Walton,
until recently manager of Campbell
Bros. furniture store in this city. They
will handle the Victoria branch of the
Modern Office Supply Co. Mrs. Walton
also leaves today to join her husband
at the coast.

A party of British representatives of
the Fourth Estate, have sailed on the
S. S. Virginian for Montreal and are
coming west to Vancouver. On the
return journey a portion of the mem-
bers who represent forty daily and
weekly papers and some prominent
magazines, will visit Vernon. The
party numbers forty-two. Word is to
be sent the Industrial Commissioner
of their plans before arrival at Van-
couver.

Two thousand five hundred pieces of
literature intended to keep Vernon in
the public eye, and advance the city's
and district's industrial, commercial
and farming interests are leaving Ver-
non during the current week. Lantern
slides for a lecture tour through the
Eastern and Prairie Provinces have
been shipped. There are twenty slides,
showing Vernon, her buildings, and
the orchard district, chosen by Indus-
trial Commissioner Ouse, who also
wrote the descriptive lecture to ac-
company the slides.

Four families, numbering eighteen
persons, arrived in Vernon during the
last three weeks, besides a number of
single men and women, all of whom are
working. Record shows that these
people came in response to the direct
appeal of the Publicity Commissioner
to them, and the wisdom of the Board
of Trade in appointing one man to
take over the securing of new settlers.
Industries and capital is being amply
demonstrated by the increased num-
ber of inquiries now reaching the
Board and the office of the Commis-
sioner.

An accident occurred last Friday
evening to Miss Alexander, of Cold-
stream, which fortunately turned out
to be less serious than was at first
feared. Miss Alexander was driving a
horse and cart, when the animal took
fright at an auto, and bolted near the
Kahmaka corner. The cart struck a
hydrant and was overturned. Miss
Alexander sustained a severe blow on
the head, which rendered her uncon-
scious. She was taken to the hospital,
where she was found to be suffering
from concussion on the brain. She is
now in a fair way to recovery, and
will probably be around again in a
few days.

A meeting was held in the council
chamber on Tuesday morning at ten
o'clock, to discuss the project of taking
over the Vernon Jubilee Hospital as
a municipal asset. There were present
Ald. Remant, in the chair, Aldermen
Swift, Smith and Simons, Messrs.
Dickson, Rhodes and Ricardo; Mr.
Billings, the city solicitor, was also
present. The first question to be dis-
cussed was the legality of the pro-
posed action. In the course of the dis-
cussion it was stated that the munici-
pal act allowed an assessment of
money to be levied for the purpose of
health and hospital purposes. It was
finally decided to hold a meeting of the
representatives of the hospital direc-
tors, the finance committee and the
city solicitor, and to report at the
next meeting of the council.

St. Andrew's church was the scene
of a pretty wedding on Tuesday after-
noon, when Mr. R. N. Clarke, Vernon's
popular Chief of Police, was united in
marriage to Miss Elizabeth Johnston,
the ceremony being performed by the
Rev. C. O. Muir, in the presence of a
number of friends of the contracting
parties. The church was beautifully
decorated for the occasion, the bride
party taking their positions beneath
a floral canopy, and the bridesmaids
in white and white gloves. The bride
wore a beautiful gown of white and
blue, and the bridegroom a suit of
dark blue. The ceremony was a most
impressive one, and the wedding
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South bound	STATIONS	North bound
10.20 (Lv.)	Shuswap Jct. (Ar.)	11.35 (Lv.)
10.51	Mara	12.05
11.05	Grand	12.19
11.19	Enderby	12.33
11.45	Armstrong	12.47
11.53	Realm	13.01
12.03	Larkin	13.15
12.30	Vernon	13.42
12.50 (Ar.)	Ok. Landing (Lv.)	14.50

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Star. Okanagan runs daily between Okanagan Landing and Penticton as follows:

South bound read down North bound read up

Ok. Landing	North bound
13.15 daily	12.15 daily ex. Sunday
Wed. only	Whiteman's Creek
Mon. and Fri. Ewing's Landing	Wed. only
Wed. only	Sunnyvale
Mon. and Fri.	Nahon

Okanagan Centre

Daily ex. Sunday and Sunday

Flag stop Sunday Daily ex. Sunday

Wed. only Kelowna Sat. only

15.10 daily 2.15 daily ex. Sunday

Okanagan Mission

Wednesday, flag Saturday

Daily ex. Sunday Daily ex. Sunday

Flag on Sunday

16.10 flag daily 7.30 daily ex. Sunday

16.50 daily ex. Sunday

Flag on Sun. 7.30 daily ex. Sunday

18.15 daily 8.30 daily ex. Sunday

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Mails close for the north, daily, except Sunday's 2.30 p.m.

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HAPPENINGS THROUGHOUT THE DISTRICT

Weekly Budget of News Contributed By Our Regular Correspondents

PENTICTON

Born—On Thursday, July 8, to Chief of Police Roche and Mrs. Roche, a son.

Born—On Saturday, July 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wilton, a son.

Born—On Sunday, July 14, to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cleland, a son.

Rev. J. A. Cleland went to Kelowna on Tuesday morning to attend a Rural-decennial conference of the Okanagan Deanery.

The examination of the High school pupils of all grades were held last week. Principal Wilson of Armstrong, being the presiding officer. About thirty candidates sat for the examinations.

George and Edward Richardson, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richardson, arrived home a few days ago from Victoria to spend their summer holidays. They have been attending the University school in Victoria.

Richard Wyllie, (Dick as he is familiarly known), and his brother William, have arrived from Victoria to spend their summer vacation here. Released from school they lost no time in getting back to the freedom and delight of their former haunts, and amongst their old companions.

Mr. Slime, of the staff of the Bank of Commerce, left on Tuesday morning for Kelowna, having been transferred to the Kelowna branch of the bank. His place in the Penticton office has been taken by Mr. Whitehead, who was a popular member of the staff three years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Moorhouse have returned from Vancouver, where they attended the funeral of Mr. Moorhouse's mother, who died at her home in that city last week after a brief illness. When the news of the serious illness of his mother reached Mr. Moorhouse, he left immediately for the coast, but unfortunately he did not arrive there in time to see her alive.

Gratifying reports are to hand of the decided improvement in the condition of Mr. Otto Estabrook, who has been for several weeks a patient in the Jubilee Hospital, Vernon, with an attack of typhoid fever. A son of the gallant Captain, he shares with his father the reputation of being one of the public up and down the Okanagan, and the wish for his speedy restoration to health is heard expressed on all sides.

The Penticton Boy Scouts and high school pupils are rejoicing in the safe return of their friend and comrade, Frank McDonald, son of Mr. McDonald, who was taken to Kelowna hospital a couple of weeks ago, and there operated upon for a very serious case of appendicitis. Frank is very popular amongst his companions and his complete recovery from so threatening an illness is a cause of joy to all.

Mr. McDonald has just completed writing upon his examinations for McGill matric, before the illness came.

Penticton was honored in being the place chosen this year for the Tennis tournament. For four days the tennis courts presented a lively scene, when experts from all the clubs in the valley displayed their skill. Most of the visitors arrived on Monday evening and the playing commenced on Tuesday morning, continuing for four days. Large numbers availed themselves of the privilege of watching the games. The weather throughout was all that could be desired. Many were the complimentary remarks made by the spectators on the splendid playing shown by the visitors. A list of the names of prize winners, etc., is undoubtedly omitted and will appear next week, if not reported elsewhere in this issue of the News.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sutherland received on Friday last the sad news of the death of their daughter, Mrs. Simpson, which took place at her home in Kelowna. The deceased was well-known here, and was held in high esteem. Before her marriage, which occurred about two years ago, she assisted as a probationer in the Nursing Home here, and was a general favorite with nurses and patients. The body was brought to Penticton for interment, and the funeral took place on Monday afternoon at Penticton cemetery. Service was held at the family residence and also at the Methodist church, by the Rev. W. Boulton. A large number of companions attended the funeral.

The marriage took place on Saturday morning, July 12th, at 10 o'clock, in St. Saviour's church, of Mr. George E. Caldwell, of Invermere, B. C., and Miss Edith Helena Jones, of Kelowna, B. C. The marriage was a quiet one, only the relatives and one or two intimate friends being present. The bride's family, consisting of her mother, sisters and brother, with the bride and groom arrived at the church from the family residence at Vernon. The bride was escorted by Mr. George E. Caldwell, and the groom by Mr. George E. Caldwell. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. Boulton. The wedding party consisted of the bride, groom, bridesmaids, and best man.

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PEACHLAND

Mr. George Lang, of Calgary, came in in his usual week-end and is the guest of his brother, Mr. W. A. Lang.

Miss Gellatly, of Gellatly, was the guest of friends in town for a few days in the beginning of the week.

Mr. O. Holden, of Vernon, late of Town's store here, was in town for a short time last week.

Miss Jean Kincaid, of Kelowna, is the guest of Miss Irene Elliot this week.

The Misses Olive and Ella Young, nieces of Mr. Fred Young, spent last week with him.

On Monday evening last Mr. C. C. Inglis of Okanagan Landing came down to Peachland for a short visit. He seems to like the fruit that grows here so abundantly.

The employees of the Cement Works were the hosts at a very successful and enjoyable gathering in the Orange Hall on Friday night, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell, of Kelowna. Music was furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lupton of Kelowna.

While engaged in moving the boiler from the old government pile driver, one day last week, it slipped inflicting several severe cuts and bruises on Mr. J. Nichols, who has gone to the hospital in Vernon to have them treated.

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Mr. Earn T. McKay who went to the coast in the spring suffering with water on the lungs, came in again on Wednesday evening. We trust that the balmy breezes, the warm sunshine and luscious fruit may soon build him up again to his former good health and sturdy frame.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell, of Kelowna, who are enjoying their honeymoon among friends at the coast, came in on Monday evening and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John McGregor for a few days.

Mr. Mitchell, nee Kathleen Lang, has placed in the canoe miff crew, and they are receiving a hearty welcome from all her old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Crisp and children, Victor and Helen, are at present visiting Mrs. Crisp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Miller. Mr. Crisp has disposed of his interests in Vancouver and is coming here, he with the whole family goes direct to California, where they have property and intend making their home in the future.

SUMMERLAND

Mr. S. Bently, of Nanaimo, Vancouver Island, was a visitor here last week.

E. H. Hoch, of Kaleden, spent the weekend here.

Miss M. White was at Peachland for two days last week visiting friends.

Mr. H. Lowe, from Truro, Nova Scotia, is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. F. B. Tully.

Tonsorial parlors have been opened at West Summerland and under the proprietorship of S. R. Fraser.

F. C. Naper, of Balcom, returned this week from a visit of some months duration in the Old Country.

The delegates from the local Baptist church to the British Columbia convention returned last week.

Miss A. E. Williams, of the Sound school, left for Kaleden on Monday morning, where she will spend two or three weeks vacation.

Mrs. C. M. Smith returned last week from a visit to Peachland. Mrs. E. McKenzie and family of that town are now visiting at her home.

Mr. G. Dinning, of the Vernon Bank of Commerce, formerly connected with the local branch of that institution, is in Summerland on his vacation.

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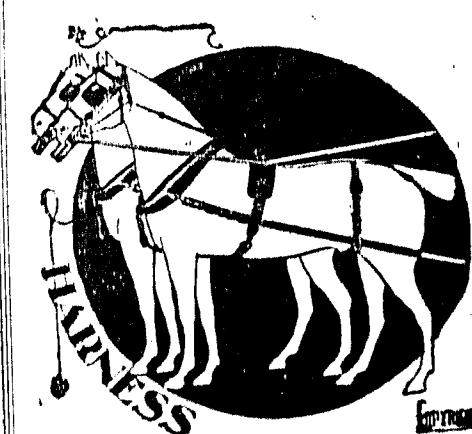
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ESTIMATING TIMBER WEALTH

Provincial Government Will Compile Authentic Data Regarding Forests of B. C.

Victoria, B. C., June 14.—For the first time in the history of the Province a complete estimate of the forest wealth of British Columbia is to be made. The completion of data, a map and a general report on the timber resources of the entire Province will be carried out by the joint efforts of the Forestry Department of the Provincial Government and the Canadian Commission on conservation. All the information already in the hands of the Forestry branch will be correlated. The blank spaces in the Province, that is those that have not been as yet surveyed for their timber, will be all located to different parties sent out jointly by the Provincial Government and the Conservation Commission. As yet there is but scant information of the extent of the timber areas in the Chilcooten district, in the Peace River area and in many parts of the Cassiar. All these will be thoroughly surveyed; an estimate will be made of the amount of standing timber, a general report on conditions throughout the different sections will be prepared, and a complete timber map of the Province will be made. The object of this new development work can be briefly summarized:

Correct information will be furnished regarding the extent, character and conditions of the forest resources of the Province.

This information will form a basis upon which the Government can expand or modify its policy both as regards the crown lands and the Province at large.

The survey will be made by foresters who can describe the conditions accurately.

When the figures are forthcoming accurate statistics can be kept of the depletion of the resources year by year.

It will be possible to estimate exactly the percentage of loss from forest fires, a thing hitherto impossible.

Special figures will be forthcoming of the amount of land which will be available for agricultural purposes, when the timber has been removed.

An estimate of the amount of merchantable timber in the Province will be available and thus something like an accurate idea of the value of this immense resource will be known.

The mass of information to be collected will be of the very highest value not only to British Columbia and Canada, but to the world at large. At present it is roughly estimated that this Province contains more than half the merchantable timber of the Dominion and that, from a forest standpoint, it is the wealthiest tract of country on the face of the globe. It will soon be possible to verify this general belief by accurate figures, and reliable information. The new data will also be of inestimable value to the settler who will learn through authoritative information the timber land that will be eventually available for homesteading.

The work of making the estimate of British Columbia's forest wealth will be carried to as speedy a conclusion as possible, because it is felt by the Forestry Department that the sooner the fullest knowledge is obtained of the timber resources of the country the more adequate measures can be employed for their conservation.

The co-operation of the Conservation Commission in this work has been secured at the instance of the Hon. W. R. Ross, the British Columbia Minister of Lands.

AGED DUKE DIVORCED.

Munich, July 12.—A decree of divorce was granted here today to the 82-year-old Duke Ludwig of Bavaria against the second morganatic wife, who, when she was a ballet girl at the Bavarian Court Opera, was known as Antonie Barth.

The court threw the entire blame for the quarrel with the wife, who admitted her fault. She is forty years younger than Duke Ludwig. They were married in 1892 after the death of the first morganatic wife, who also was an actress of the name of Henrietta Mendel.

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ORANGEMEN CELEBRATE AT ENDERBY

Though Rain Marred the Full Success of the Twelfth, Salmon Arm, Vernon and Enderby Contested in Good Games of Baseball and Football, and Excellent Speeches Were Rendered by Prominent Members of the Order.

Though unfortunately the inclement weather on the Twelfth, the celebration of the Orangemen of Revelstoke and the Okanagan, held in Enderby was as successful as could be expected under the trying circumstances.

Salmon Arm vs. Enderby.

A few minutes to 3 o'clock the first baseball game was called, between the Enderby and Salmon Arm teams. Both teams had been strengthened since the Dominion Day game, and they put up a game that was thoroughly enjoyed and hotly rooted by the supporters of the contending teams. The Salmon Arm boys had aided the best players to the Enderby Chase team. Enderby had Webb, Derr and Fisher, who played here last season. The combination worked admirably.

The result of the game the game is fairly indicated by the score:

Salmon Arm.....2 1 0 1 0 1 0 0 0—8
Enderby.....7 4 0 2 2 0 0 0 0—8

In the ninth, just to show what he could do in the way of pitching, Webb dismissed Suckling, Stafford and Glasgow—Salmon Arm's heavy hitters—with nine deliveries.

Speeches.

At the conclusion of the base ball game addresses were delivered from the grand stand by Acting Mayor Worthington, Rev. Mr. Stewart, who suggested the invalidity of the criticism that the order of Orangemen had ceased to be a useful organization. On the other hand the order stood for better marriage laws and to strive for the education and enlightenment of the people.

The next speaker was Rev. McLeod of Revelstoke, who followed Mr. Stewart in his defence of the work of the order. It was never needed in the world more; than it is needed today said he, in view of the spread of Catholicism in antagonism to which the order stood for civil and religious liberty, and the separation of church and state.

The next speaker was Mr. Michael, the oldest Orangeman in the Province. He was followed by Mr. Cunningham, P. G. M. of B. C., while other speakers followed in a strain of praise to the Order of Orangemen.

Football Game.

During the speeches Salmon Arm and Enderby again met, but this time the game was football though success again rested with the home team, the result being 3 to 0 in their favor.

Races.

Robertson and McKee won 1st and 2nd in the high jump.
Dean Fravel took first in both the 100 and 220 yard dash, with Robertson 2nd in both.

The children's races and other contests were called off owing to the lateness of the hour.

Vernon vs. Enderby.

The baseball game between Vernon and Enderby junior teams was a most interesting event. The rooting at times was deafening. For fast work the boys make the laurels. It was a real treat to see them field the balls and play the bases.

Their batting order:
Vernon.....Enderby.
Stanton.....Antilla
Burdings.....Pearson
Carew.....Greycl
Klausman.....Grant
Buckmiller.....Hassard
Sigaleit.....Johnson
Forester.....Paulkner
Simons.....Wheller
Wilson.....Black

Score by innings:
Vernon.....1 0 0 1 1 0 5 0 0—9
Enderby.....0 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 0—3

Excepting in inning 8, when the visitors slugged Greycl all over the field, the game was well balanced. The fielding by the Enderby boys was perfect, but they were wild in their base throwing and weak at the bat. The in-field of Vernon did excellent work, but the out-field was weak.

OKANAGAN LAWN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Players From All Over the Valley Meet in Penticton and Decide Various Matches After Splendid Exhibitions of Skill.

The third annual tournament of the Okanagan Lawn Tennis Association was held on the courts of the Penticton Lawn Tennis Club on July 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th and attracted a large number of players from all parts of the valley; fortunately, however, the whole was favorable although on the afternoon of the 10th a high wind made accurate play a matter of some difficulty; the tournament committee of the Penticton Lawn Tennis Club made excellent arrangements for the smooth working of the tournament, and under the able direction of the referee, Mr. G. O. Hodgwick, all the events were played off promptly.

The Wincup for ladies' best doubles was won by Messrs. Stone and Beon of Kelowna, but only after a magnificent struggle in the final with Messrs. Betz and Scholte of Vernon, the latter pair after losing the first two sets played splendid tennis and captured the third and fourth sets, the fifth and last set proved most exciting, the Kelowna pair just managing to win by a games to 6.

The ladies' doubles were carried off by Mrs. May and Miss Leigh of Summerland who beat Mrs. Watson and Miss Scholte of Vernon in the final.

The mixed doubles went to Miss Scholte and Mr. Betz of Vernon who defeated Miss Leigh and Mr. Paulkner of Summerland in the final by two straight sets.

Mr. Stone of Kelowna captured the men's singles, beating Mr. Bodwell of Summerland in the final by three sets to two. Mr. Bodwell played a fine game in the first three sets but then seemed to tire and Mr. Stone took the last two sets somewhat easily. Several splendid matches were played in this event, notably those between Messrs. Scholte and Beon and Messrs. Betz and Stone.

A third cup went to Kelowna when Miss Spencer won the ladies' singles, beating Mrs. May of Summerland in the final by two sets to one. Miss Spencer thoroughly deserved her success, as in the earlier rounds she met and defeated such formidable opponents as Miss Scott Allan, Miss Leigh and Mrs. Watson.

At the conclusion of the tournament the cups and trophies were presented by Mrs. Joyce of Kelowna supported by Dr. Channing-Pearce, the president of the association.

The visiting players were hospitably entertained by their Penticton hosts, a dance given by the Penticton Lawn Tennis Club being held at the Lincoln Hotel on the night of the 8th and another dance was given by the Aquatic Club in their fine club house on the night of the 11th.

CRICKET

ARMSTRONG VS. VERNON AT ARMSTRONG JULY 12.

Armstrong, first innings.
Littler b. Remnant.....0
Munro b. Remnant.....6
Thompson b. Remnant.....0
Binnacomb b. and b. Temple.....0
Burnie b. Remnant.....0
Littler b. Temple.....0
Nash b. Temple.....6
Maggett b. Temple.....7
Bennett b. Remnant.....5
Ibbotson not out.....6
Hassan b. Remnant.....3
Byes.....3

Vernon, first innings.
A. G. Brazier b. Thompson.....11
S. Smith b. Thompson, b. Littler.....7
T. Swift b. Thompson.....0
D. G. Tate b. Thompson.....15
R. Remnant b. Thompson.....16
R. J. Wishart b. Thompson.....12
Temple b. Littler.....0
McClennan stumped b. Munro.....0
R. Swift b. Thompson.....20
J. E. H. Phillips not out.....8
Payze b. Ibbotson.....9
Byes.....8

Second innings.
Munro run out.....3
Ibbotson b. Remnant.....4
Burnie b. Remnant, b. Swift.....5
Binnacomb b. Swift.....0
Maggett stumped b. T. Swift.....1
Nash b. R. Swift.....7
Littler.....
Bennett.....
Collis.....
Hassan.....
Byes.....11

The team selected to play for Vernon against Salmon Arm, at Salmon Arm on Saturday, the 19th, will be as follows: R. Swift (Capt.), R. Remnant, A. G. Brazier, D. G. Tate, S. Smith, J. E. H. Phillips, W. W. Temple, R. Curtis, W. W. Kirkby, R. J. Wishart, B. L. Williams.

NO SEASICKNESS SOON

Sir John Thornycroft Says Science Can Correct Vessels' Motion.

London, July 12.—At a conversation of the Royal Society at Burlington House a couple of days ago, Sir John Thornycroft, the well-known naval architect and engineer, exhibited an arrangement of moving rods and discs which he described as "a model to illustrate the effect of a compound cross sea on vessels of various rolling periods."

The service of the sea was represented by a plate of glass rocked by ingenious mechanism, and the ships by rolling discs. "It certainly believes that the time will come when rolling will be done away with on the best passenger boats," Sir John told a Daily News representative. "Some years ago I experimented pretty successfully with movable ballast, and the idea has now been embodied in one or two of the most up-to-date liners. I hear that the captain of one of these vessels holds that the arrangement interferes with speed, but speed is not everything."

"Then I see that an American scientist claims to have solved the problem by the use of the gyroscope. Scientifically, there is no doubt that the thing can be done, but the question is, can it be done in such a way as to make it commercially worth while."

THREE CLAIMS REJECTED.

British and American Tribunal Gives Decision in Cases Heard at Initial Session.

Washington, D. C., July 12.—The United States won three out of four cases to be decided by the American and British Claims Tribunal, which recently completed its initial sessions at Washington and Ottawa. These cases involved four of the numerous claims against the two governments, which their respective legislative bodies were unable to adjust.

The most important point decided in favor of the United States was involved in the case of William Harran, a British subject, who lost property at Shiny Chai, a town that town was destroyed by American troops during the Spanish-American war. The court held that the destruction of Harran's property along with the town was a necessity of war but recommended that Congress give the claimant some consideration.

The court refused to allow claims against the United States for the payment of Crown dues of \$4 per thousand feet on timber purchased by the War Department from a contractor for the building of a fort in Alaska, and for compensation for the use of a steamer, the King Robert, for the transportation of coal for the Navy Department. A British claimant was awarded damages amounting to about \$150, on account of a collision between the British steamer Lindesfarne and the United States Army transport Crook in New York harbor.

MILITIA OFFICERS SCORED.

Halifax, July 12. Col. Sam Hartley, minister of militia, entertained the permanent and active militia officers of the Halifax garrison at dinner last night, and created somewhat of a sensation by roundly rebuking the regular officers for lulling and neglecting their duties.

He declared that the permanent forces were no place for men who devoted to spend their time in idleness, card playing and social party, and any man who failed to do his work could look for little sympathy.

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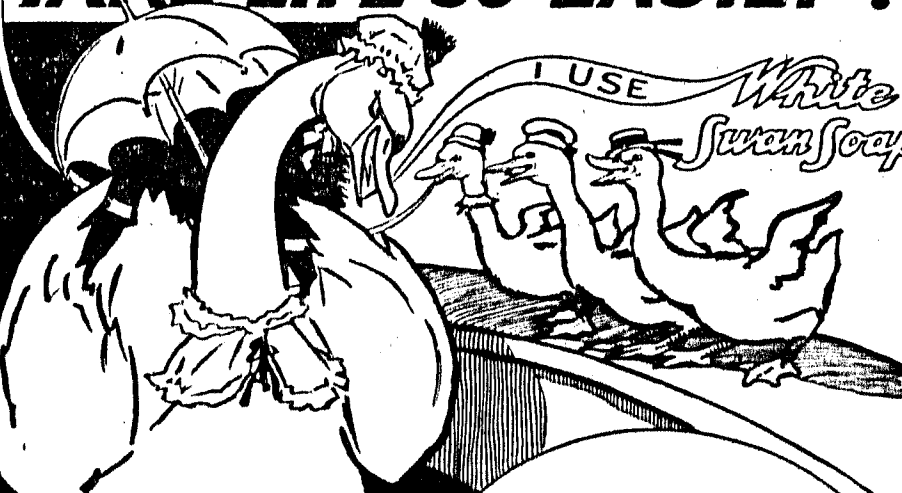
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